U. S. PROTEST TO CARRANZA COUCHED IN STRONG TERMS

Washington, March 15.—President Wilson's reply to General Carranza's note of March 8, which was in response to the urgent representations of the United States for better treatment of foreigners in Mexico, is follow:

"I thank you for your message of the eighth of March for the reassurance it conveys, and for your kind personal words. I see that you will understand that if our messages occasionally are couched in terms of strong emphasis, it is only because they contain some matters which touch the very safety of Mexico itself, and the whole possible course of its future history.

"We seek always to act as friends of the Mexican people and as their friends it is our duty to speak very plainly about the grave dangers which threaten them from without whatever happens within their borders, which is calculated to arouse the hostile sentiment of the whole world.

"Nothing will stir that sentiment more promptly or more hotly, or create greater danger for Mexico than any (even temporary) disregard for lives, the safety or the rights of the citizens of other countries resident within its territory, or any apparent contempt for the rights and safety of those who represent religion.

"Any attempt to justify or explain these things will not eradicate this sentiment or lessen the danger that will arise from them.

"To warn you concerning such matters is an act of friendship, not of hostility and we cannot make the meaning too earnest.

"To speak less kindly or less earnestly would be to conceal from you a terrible risk which no lover of Mexico should care to run."

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ENGLAND ANNOUNCES ITS POLICY OF RETALIATION AGAINST BLOCKADE

HALT ALL SHIPPING TO PORTS OF ENEMY

London, March 15.—The British order in council decreeing retaliatory measures on the part of the government to meet the declaration of the Germans that the waters surrounding the United Kingdom are a military area was made public today.

The text of the order in council follows:

"Whereas the German government has issued certain orders which, in violation of the usages of war, purport to declare that the waters surrounding the United Kingdom are a military area in which all British and allied merchant vessels will be destroyed irrespective of the safety and the lives of the passengers and the crews, and in which neutral shipping will be exposed to similar danger in view of the uncertainties of naval warfare.

"And whereas, in the memorandum accompanying said orders, neutrals are warned against entrusting crews, passengers or goods to British or allied ships.

"And whereas such attempts on the part of the enemy to give to his majesty an unquestionable right of retaliation.

"And whereas, his majesty has therefore decided to adopt further measures in order to prevent commodities of any kind from reaching or leaving Germany although such measures will be enforced without risk to neutral ships or to neutral or non combatant life and in strife observance of the dictates of humanity.

"And whereas the allied of his majesty are associated with him in the steps now to be announced for restricting further the commerce of Germany, his majesty is therefore pleased by, and with the advice of his privy council to order and it is hereby ordered, as follows:

No Vessel Shall Be Allowed To Enter Port

"First — No merchant vessel which sailed from her port of departure after March 15, 1915, shall be allowed to proceed on her voyage to any German port. Unless this vessel receives a pass enabling her to proceed to some neutral or allied port to be named in the pass, the goods on board any such vessel must be discharged in a British port and placed in cus-

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BREAD NOT NECESSITY

Cleveland, March 15.—Bread is not a necessity—at least, not such a necessity as to permit dealers to sell it on Sunday, according to a ruling of the appellate court today in upholding a decision of municipal and common pleas courts in convicting Ludwig Straka, a baker, charged with selling bread on Sunday. Straka was arrested in 1913 and his defense was that bread is a necessity and that his customers expected to buy it on Sunday.

SUNDAY GETS TRUCK LOAD OF COIN IN PHILADELPHIA "FREE WILL" OFFERING

Philadelphia, Pa., March 15.—It took a large size motor truck to haul Evangelist Billy Sunday's pay from his tabernacle in Philadelphia to the safety vaults of the Land Title and Trust Company.

Yesterday was the "Free Will" offering day and the big tin dish pans which were used to collect the money were filled with coins, crisp bills and checks. Three times during the day the ushers rushed down the aisles with their dish pans and three times they returned with them filled to the overflowing. The money was kept in the tabernacle until the evening services. Then it was put in sacks and loaded onto a huge motor truck by five armed guards.

Estimates on the amount which Rev. Sunday received range from $75,000 to $100,000. Before the "free will" offering was taken Sunday already had gifts from admirers which were valued at more than $5,000, it was said.

MYSTERY SURROUNDS EASTERN OPERATIONS

GERMANS TORPEDO 3 MORE STEAMERS

London, March 15.—The British steamers Florasean, Headlands and Hartdale, torpedoed by German submarines, all have been sunk, according to announcement made by British admiralty today. Early reports held out the hope that these vessels attacked within the last few days by German raiders, had not been destroyed and might be brought into port.

Italy And Austria Can't Get Together

Rome, March 14.—(Via Paris, March 15)—The report current in Rome today that Frances Joseph, emperor of Austria, has absolutely rejected the idea of any territorial concessions to Italy has been given authoritative denial. The situation in this regard seems to be that the little Austria is reluctantly disposed to concede is so inadequate compared to what is asked that an understanding seems hopeless.

The chamber today approved by 331 votes against 34 a bill for the economic and military defense of the state. This measure enforces heavy penalties against espionage.

Paris, March 15.—Violent cannonading is going on at a point to the north of Dunkirk, according to a dispatch from that seaport to the Havas News Agency. The bullet in Dunkirk is that a British squadron is bombarding the sand dunes around Nieuport.

London, March 15.—Mystery envelopes the progress of Field Marshal von Hindenburg's latest advance into Poland, but it is the opinion of British observers that the vast forces along the line from the Niemen to the Vistula cannot much longer be kept from decisive contact, unless the direction of the German offensive undergoes a radical change.

At the present time the meagre information coming through of the operations in the Eastern arena indicates that the Germans have been successful in the forest of Augustowo, whence the Russians have fallen back under the guns of Grodno. Further to the south in the Mlawa region, the German advance has been checked and the Russians are initiating an advance on the northern bank of the Vistula in the direction of Plock. So far as the Germans are concerned, however, all of these movements may be abandoned and Central Poland again become

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NEW MONOPLANE PROVES DEATH TRAP FOR BEACHEY

San Francisco, Calif., March 15.—Lincoln Beachey's desire to outdo his customary feats of daring in his well tested biplane by similar intrepidity in his new Taube type monoplane before he had sufficiently tried its possibilities, was said today by aviation experts to have been responsible for his drop to death at the Panama Pacific exposition yesterday before a holiday crowd of many thousands.

Further examination of Beachey's body today showed clearly that death was due to drowning after his wrecked machine had plunged into the bay. His body was still firmly strapped in position but apparently his injuries from the fall would not have caused his death. His right leg was broken above the knee and he suffered a number of minor cuts and bruises which may have been caused by his struggles to free himself from the entangling straps and wires.

Beachey lived with his mother in a cottage in the Sunset district south of Golden Gate park. Each day when he was to fly, the mother would post herself at a nearby corner and await his return. She was waiting yesterday two hours after the tragedy, before a friend arrived to break the news.

ROOT NOT A CANDIDATE

Albany, N. Y., March 15—Under no circumstances will former Senator Elihu Root be a candidate for president n 1916. He made this statement here today.

"All talk of my being a candidate is absolutely nonsense," he declared. "Such a thing is impossible."

NEW SUP'T. WESTERN DIVISION OF THE B. & O.

Newark, Ohio, March 15.—W. H. Averill, of New York, was today appointed general superintendent of the western division of Baltimore and Ohio railroad to succeed E. B. Williams. Mr. Williams remains in the Baltimore and Ohio service as general agent of the system in the district of West Virginia.

THAW OPINION TOMORROW

New York, March 15.—Justice Page announced today that he would reserve decision until tomorrow on the application of Harry K. Thaw, that he should be returned to New Hampshire.

VOTE ON SALOONS.

Urbana, O., March 15—Urbana voters crowded around the polls early today in the local law election to determine whether this city shall return to the open saloon. The city has been dry for several years.

CRUISER DRESDEN SUNK

London, March 15---The British admiralty announced tonight that the German cruiser Dresden had been sunk.

U. S. FACTORIES WILL SUFFER BY ENGLAND'S RETALIATION METHOD

Washington, March 15.—The text of the British order in council was received with keenest interest today by officials of the state department and while it has not been decided as yet whether a formal protest will be made by the United States government against the order, it is reasonably certain that efforts will be made to secure a construction of its terms which will minimize injury to American commerce.

The order apparently effects the complete exclusion from American commerce of all goods of German origin, and this is viewed by American officials as probably the the most immediately important provision of the order. American industries, such as textile mills which are dependent upon German dyestuffs, will be seriously affected if some relaxation of the order cannot be secured by diplomatic correspondence.

If British manufacturers are permitted to receive these or similar German products as essential to their business as they are to American mills, it is certain that emphatic protest against such discriminating will be made by the state department.

LACK OF AMMUNITION WORRIES KITCHENER

London, March 15—Secretary of War Earl Kitchener gave a brief review of the war situation in the house of lords this evening.

He said that only trench fighting had been possible for many weeks past, but that this had not affected the morale of the British troops.

Handicapped By Lack Of Ammunition

Progress in the work of equipping Britain's new armies had been seriously hampered by the failure to get sufficient labor and the necessary factory facilities. He said: "The supply of war material is now and for the next month or two, will be a very serious consideration. It is causing me serious anxiety. It is absolutely essential that the output of ammunition be increased. To do so is of the utmost importance to the operations in the field."

Continuing along this subject Earl Kitchener urged firms in certain lines to place their spare labor and machinery at the disposal of the government.

MAY DROP CASE AGAINST N. C. R. CO.

Cincinnati, March 15.—United States District Attorney McPherson began today a study of the decision of the circuit court of appeals which reversed the verdict of the lower court in the cases of John H. Patterson and twenty-six other officials or former officials of the National Cash Register company of Dayton.

District Attorney McPherson will forward his recommendations to the department of justice at Washington and will await the orders from the attorney general. It is possible that the case will be taken to the supreme court on a writ of certiorari.

As the government has already spent about $100,000 in the case, it is believed by many attorneys that no further attempt will be made to put the defendants on trial, and that if the supreme court route fails, the whole case will be dropped.

REDUCTION IN PRICE OF OIL

Pittsburgh, Pa., March 15—Five cents a barrel was cut from the price of the principal grades of crude oil when the market opened today, the following schedule being announced by the South Pennsylvania Oil company: Pennsylvania crude $1.15; Mercer black $1.05; New Castle $1.02; Cabell $1.05; Corning 90 cents; Somerset 85 cents; Ragland 65 cents.

CARRANZA ABANDONS BLOCKADE OF PORT AFTER U. S. PROTESTS

Washington, March 15—General Carranza has abandoned his blockade of the port of Progreso on urgent representations by the United States. The Mexican gunboat Zargosa has been called off and two American ships laden with sisal for the United States were cleared Saturday without interference.

Rear Admiral Caperton, commanding the American fleet in Mexican waters reported the raising of the blockade in his official dispatches early today and reported that the Zaragosa had returned to Vera Cruz.

The admiral's dispatches telling of relief of the situation crossed a new note from the United States which was sent on its way to Carranza this morning giving notice that the United States was determined to raise the blockade and if necessary use the cruiser Des Moines to do so.

Sent Shot Across Bow Of American Ship

It became known for the first time today that last week the Mexican gunboat had stopped one American ship with a shot across her bow, had held up another and had interfered with their shipping.

The seriousness of the situation growing out of the blockade of Progreso was pointed out by Secretary Houston of the department of agriculture who advised the president that two million pounds of twine are used exclusively in the United States in binding grain, flax and corn crops, and that nine-tenths of the supply is made from sisal grown in Yucatan and exported through Progreso.

TILLMAN'S PROTEGE SEEKS FAME IN U. S.

Miss Madge North.

Miss Madge North, a young English girl of Yorkshire and a protege of Senator Ben Tillman, is entertaining Washington people with her singing. She came to America, she says, because she wanted musical training and the war interfered with it there. The money she makes from her concerts for society people she spends on her musical education.

PLAN TO REORGANIZE 7TH REGIMENT O. N. G.

Columbus, March 15—Re-organization of the Seventh regiment, Ohio National Guard, disbanded by order of former Adjutant General Wood last fall, was considered at a meeting here today of officers of the eleven companies composing the old regiment, with Adjt. General Hough and Harry D. Knox, of Marietta, former colonel of the regiment. Charges were made to Adjut. Gen. Hough that the regiment was disbanded for political reasons. A petition from a company at Middlepart for admittance to the regiment was considered by the adjutant general.

The companies represented at the conference have headquarters in Zanesville, Marietta, Cambridge, Pomeroy, Gallipolis, Ironton, Athens, Logan, New Lexington, Somerset and McConnellsville with the band at Zanesville.

1,200 PAINTERS GO ON STRIKE

Cincinnati, March 15.—Union painters in Cincinnati and vicinity laid down their brushes and buckets today. Failing to reach an agreement with the Master Painters after several days of conference, the leaders of the Journeymen sent word along the line that all negotiations had failed and that work ceased Saturday. There are 1,200 members of the local unions.

The strike is based principally upon the refusal of the Master Painters to agree that all glazing work on jobs handled by them be done by union men.

WILL URGE READING OF BIBLE IN SCHOOLS

Columbus, March 15—To advocate a bill promoting the reading of the bible in public schools, Prof. Edward Mack of Cincinnati and Dr. Wilbur F. Crafts, of Washington, D. C., will address the senate committee on public schools, according to notice received today by Lieut. Governor Arnold, from the Cincinnati Federation of Churches.

BILLY BUTT-IN'S The Times Weather Man

I hate t' say it but I'm afraid th' time is near when I'll have t' announce a slight change in th' weather. I ain't much on old "saws" but I've been watchin that old one about th' march lion and lamb for some years now and I've never seen it fail yet. So you might as well get ready for something "fierce" in a week or so. Here's for tomorrow:

Ohio—Unsettled tonight, probably rain or snow. Tuesday probably colder.

Kentucky—Partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday.

West Virginia—Unsettled and warmer tonight, probably rain or snow. Tuesday partly cloudy.

SPRING WORK IS STARTED; BETTER TIMES COMING

Contractor Burns broke ground Monday for the five miles of paving he is to build on Chillicothe pike from the Noel settlement to near the Davis farm.

Quite a force of men is employed and thirty teams and as many wagons are engaged in hauling brick from the Portsmouth Paving Brick company's plant for the improvement. William Tipton, formerly with Kaps Bros., is supervising the work.

Contractor Frank Seymour has commenced work on the job of grading and leveling the new addition of Greenlawn cemetery and expects to complete the work in a short time. Contractor A. M. Campbell has started active work on the re-fill bridge at the Point and expects to finish it within a month's time.

Kelley Bros. began active work Monday afternoon on the new German Evangelical church sanitary sewer between Fifth and Sixth streets west of Chillicothe street.

Contractor Arthur Simpson has resumed work on the "Y" road across the Scioto bottoms, is laying steel rails for a tram road preparatory to building a wall for the road. The towpath work has not yet resumed. It still remains to be covered with a limestone surface.

Contractor Henry Ruel announced Monday that he would positively begin work Wednesday morning on the new county temporary bridge at the mouth of the Scioto river. He said it would be rushed right through to an early completion and should be ready for use in ten days time.

The S. Monroe & Son company started work Monday morning paving an alley east of Waller street in Sunnyside addition.

WANT TO ADOPT GIRL

Mrs. Harry Crum, of No. 2048 Eighth street, informed the city officials Monday, that she and husband, a Harbison-Walker company employee, were anxious to adopt a small girl. The chief took her name and address.

RALPH JONES' HOME LOOTED BY BURGLAR

Mr. and Mrs. John Jones, of Second street, have just learned that the home of their son Ralph Jones, traveling representative of the Stevenson Hat company, in Philadelphia, was robbed a few nights ago.

The robbery occurred while Mr. and Mrs. Jones and maid were dining at a restaurant and returning home they were surprised to find silverware and jewelry to the value of $500 and Mr. Jones' gold watch which was a present from his father on the occasion of his twenty-first birthday anniversary, had been stolen. Mr. Jones carried burglary insurance of a sufficient amount to cover his loss.

HAIR COMING OUT

Dandruff causes a feverish irritation of the scalp, the hair roots shrink, loosen and then the hair comes out fast. To stop falling hair at once and rid the scalp of every particle of dandruff, get a 25-cent bottle of Danderine at any drug store, pour a little in your hand and rub it into the scalp. After a few applications the hair stops coming out and you can't find any dandruff.

Let Us Introduce

Our modern methods of eye fitting. Thousands have been relieved and benefitted through us. Why not you?

Everything that scientific exactness demands in eye-testing, we employ. Our 11,000 patrons are our best testimonials.

Albert Zoellner

Optician and Optometrist

3rd & Chil.

It's a Good Thing

A young man brought one of our "Ideal Pocket Saving Banks" with his three days' savings of quarters, dimes, nickels and pennies to our office. We opened it and he had almost $3.00 which he deposited on his savings book.

He said, "It is a good thing. If I had not had the bank. I would have spent the money. As it was I shoved the small change into the bank and I saved it."

If the small bank is a good thing for him, it will be good for you. You can start today by leaving a dime with us and taking the bank with you. When you return the bank to be opened and your savings are credited on a pass book, we return the dime to you.

The bank is little but it helps.

THE ROYAL SAVINGS AND LOAN CO.
819 Gallia Street

An Error Is Corrected

Last Friday the Times carried a reference to a letter sent out by Mayor Frick, in which he made the statement that a former prosecuting attorney had advised that punch boards could not legally be stopped and that therefore he (the mayor) had been handicapped in suppressing them. The former prosecutor, Mr. Horace L. Small, immediately took the matter up with Mayor Frick and later with the Times, demanding correction. He made no such ruling to any one. The only time the matter was called to his attention he made the explicit statement that any one operating such a device laid themselves open to arrest, and if arrested the only thing to do was to plead guilty and take what punishment was meted out by the trial court.

The Times regrets that in publishing this letter of Mayor Frick it did injustice to Mr. Small. It came to us in the regular routine of police news and was assumed that the writer was sure of his ground. This paper is always glad to set anyone right when attention is called to the error.

"Led Pipe" Cinch

Complaint was made to the police Saturday about the theft of a quantity of lead pipe from the kitchen of a house at Fifteenth and Dalton streets belonging to Samuel Levi.

Special attention to repairs. Walters Plumbing Co. adv

Have One Daughter

Alva Lyons, who recently filed suit for divorce from his wife, Amanda Lyons have one daughter. It was stated several days ago that the couple had no children.

HEADACHE, COLDS, COSTIVE BOWELS, TAKE CASCARETS

Get a 10-cent box now.

You men and women who can't get feeling right—who have headache, coated tongue, bad taste and foul breath, dizziness, can't sleep, sure bilious, nervous and upset, bothered with a sick, gassy, disordered stomach, or have a bad cold.

Are you keeping your bowels clean with Cascarets, or merely forcing a passageway every few days with salts, cathartic pills or castor oil?

Cascarets work while you sleep; cleanse the stomach, remove the sour, undigested, fermenting food and foul gases; take the excess bile from the liver and carry out of the system all the constipated waste matter and poison in the bowels.

A Cascaret tonight will straighten you out by morning—a 10-cent box from any drug store will keep your stomach sweet, liver and bowels regular and head clear for months. Don't forget the children. They love Cascarets because they taste good—never gripe or sicken.

Sells Machines

Clinton Daniels of Scioto ville, sold a Studebaker automobile Friday to Edward Basham and a Ford car to Frank Coburn.

George Doley has resigned his position with the Central Grocery, to return to his former position as a driver for Adam Pfau, Eleventh street baker.

East End Scouts Tonight

The East End Boy Scouts will meet tonight at the Manly Methodist church at 6:30, prompt. Every member of the baseball team is urged to be present. A splendid program has been arranged.

First Class Fraternity

The First Class Fraternity will meet Wednesday evening at Boys' Headquarters for the purpose of receiving new members. Four local scouts have recently reached this degree, and will be initiated at this time. They are Albert Burke and Howard Moritz of troop 9, and Clarence Bromley and Denver Scott of trop 6. The meeting will begin promptly at 7 o'clock.

Big Scout Entertainment

The scouts of troop 3 will hold a big entertainment on Friday evening of this week. These scouts will render a swell program, and will charge the small sum of 15 cents, the proceeds to be used in the purchasing of new base ball uniforms. The entertainment will start in the Bible school auditorium where two fine reels of moving pictures will be shown. This will be followed with a number of monologues by Harry Porter, comedian. The last part of the evening's program will be held in the gymnasium, closing with a fast basketball game between the Athletics and the Tigers.

Many New Members

The past week has been one of the best in local scout work from the standpoint of new members. The following new members were reported at Boys' Headquarters for the week ending March 13: Joseph Connell, Henry Maupin, Henry Paxson, Chester Stevens, Charles McAllister, Roy Brunner, Howard Chabat, Morris DeAtley, Edward Brown, Richard Boyd, Albert Plensants, Leslie Bentine, Carlin Walden, Harold Dever, Paul Stedman, Edgar Moore, Lewis Kent, Harold Williams, Maurice Fewkes, Bruce Powell, Thurston Corriell, Howard Corriell, Harnee Jones.

Scouts Some Fire Fighters

A bad fire broke out in the hills just back of Mabert Road Saturday evening and at 6 o'clock it threatened some of the homes at the foot of the hills. Some of the residents became alarmed and sent a S. O. S. call to Boy Scout Headquarters. Two patrols of troop 8 were sent to the rescue under Francis Knapp, assistant scout master. The boys and their chief fought fire from 7 until 10:30, and succeeded in entirely exterminating it.

Spring Training Games

The big leagues have nothing on our local scout league in the way of training camps. Three fast practice games of ball were pulled of Saturday, and the players showed up good considering it was their first workout.

First Game

The Tigers, champs of last season, played a practice game with the "All Stars," also a pennant team of the Junior league, on Saturday. The Tigers won out 12 to 2. Gims only yielded the Junior boys 3 hits; and the husky young pitcher also drove out two home runs. Jeffords pitched a good game for the All Stars after the first inning. The score by innings:

	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9	R.	H.	E.
All Stars	0 0 0 0 1 2 0 0 0	3	3	4
Tigers	6 0 0 1 1 0 2 1 1	12	7	0

Batteries—Gims and Hudson; Jeffords and Collis.

Second Game

The East End team defeated the Cardinals in a pretty game Saturday. Newman, the East Ender's new short stop, was the star of the afternoon's game. Moore was in mid-season form fanning 15 batters, mowing down 11 of them before the sixth inning. The score by innings:

	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9	R.	H.	E.
Car.	0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0	1	2	1
E. E.	4 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 0	5	4	4

Batteries—Moore and Graf; Bertram and Scott.

Third Game

The Kendall Avenue team of the Boy Scout League, defeated an all-star team known as the Earlytown Stars Saturday in a close and exciting game. The Scouts got a big lead in the first round, piling up eight runs. Donnelly weakened in the third and fourth rounds, and the Stars put seven runs across. Lewis relieved Donnelly in the fifth, and put up a fair article of twirling. The final score was 11 to 9 in favor of Kendall Avenue. The score by innings:

	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9	R.	H.	E.
Stars	1 0 3 3 0 2 0 0 0	9	8	2
Ken.	8 0 1 0 2 0 0 0 *	11	13	3

Batteries—Mitchell and Bertram; Donnelly, Lewis and Paxson.

Mother's can depend upon DR. BULL'S Cough Syrup FOR CROUP, MEASLES, AND WHOOPING COUGH
A FAMILY DOCTOR FOR 50 YEARS
25¢ AT DRUGGISTS

MR. AND MRS. MOORE IN AN AUTO ACCIDENT

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Moore, who reside on Baird avenue and Kinney's Lane, figured in a serious automobile accident, which occurred on the Chillicothe pike near Davis Station, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Moore's car went off the road into a ditch and was badly damaged. Mr. and Mrs. Moore were thrown out and were showered with broken glass caused by the windshield being shattered, but escaped with minor injuries. Mrs. Moore was bruised about the head and shoulders and her face was cut by fragments of glass. The axle of the car was bent, the radius rod was twisted out of shape, the windshield was smashed, the lamps were broken and one of the rear wheels was torn off, according to Mr. Moore. The machine was brought to the city Monday morning.

Mr. Moore says he was driving his car toward the city and when County Treasurer Maurice J. Caldwell passed him on the road a front wheel of his car struck a rear wheel of his machine and the impact caused the Moore machine to be thrown into a ditch.

Mr. Caldwell stated Monday morning that his car did not hit the Moore machine because he kept ahead of it all the time, he asserts.

Mr. Moore is employed by the Whittaker-Glessner Steel company.

REAL CHICKEN "GROWER"

Fire Chief W. A. McOuat's first incubator hatch of the season Monday was a decided success he securing 65 chicks out of a total number of 74 eggs.

Bigelow Revival Closed Last Night

The Bigelow revival which lasted two weeks, came to a close Sunday evening and the meetings were very successful and gratifying to the pastor, the Rev. A. R. Connell, who delivered helpful, instructive and interesting sermons. The singing was spirited and greatly added to the success of the meetings.

At the meeting held for men only Sunday afternoon Rev. Connell chose for his subject "The Call of Christ To Men" and in the evening Rev. Connell's theme was "With Christ in the Ship." The services were very impressive and much interest was manifested in all the meetings.

TRINITY BIBLE CLASS

(By P. V. D.)

The Sunday morning session was just as bright and cheerful as the day. Everybody seemed in good spirits and the lesson was very interesting from beginning to end. Mr. Greshel load the singing, with Miss McMillan assisting at the piano, after which Prof. Finney took up the lesson of the day, entitled, "Saul Gains His Kingdom." After giving a description of the mode of casting lots in those days for the selection of a king, he asked who were the sons of Belial? In answer it was shown that they were the greatest knockers that ever came down the pike. They were against Saul and everything else that was for the good of the country, and it was here that Saul showed his first signs of greatness in ignoring them and quietly proceeding with his plans. This point was nicely brought out and is a sermon in itself to any man engaged in a battle for right. Saul showed his mettle when he learned of the great punishment the Ammorites proposed inflicting upon them and becomes "righteously indignant." The time had arrived for him to answer his knockers, not by words, but by deeds. The teacher here showed of the duty of every Christian to resent and fight evil today the same as Saul resisted the Ammorites in their threat of putting out the right eye of the Israelites. What men in later days answered the call of their country while engaged in work in the fields as Saul did?

Merle Hood gave an interesting history of Israel Putnam, of Revolutionary fame. M. H. Shumway offered Cincinnatus the Old Roman. The question was asked, 'Are there men today that would respond to their country's call the same as Saul and Gideon? The opinion prevailed that in some obscure place the man of the hour would appear. If our cause is just God will supply the man. Overconfidence of the Ammorites was offered by the teacher as one of their causes of defeat and the teacher showed the same thing prevailing today of people trusting solely in their own strength and not in God. He offered three great evidences of Saul's real greatness:

First, self-control and silence. Second, respect for his parents. Third, mercy to his knockers. The great call of today is for self-discipline, which gives the spirit of calmness, and this can only be obtained through the steadfast communion with God. In this way can true character be formed that will stand the storms of this life.

NOTES.

Attendance 185.

Ralph Thomas is showing much improvement in his lessons since being presented with Tarrey's Notes for missing more Sundays than anyone in the class.

An advanced course will have to be provided if Merle Hood and Mr. Greshel keep up their present clip.

Buys Machine

Andrew Glass, general manager of the Whittaker-Glessner Company has purchased a Hupmobile.

CLEANSE THE BLOOD AND AVOID DISEASE

When your blood is impure, weak, thin and debilitated, your system becomes susceptible to any or all diseases.

Put your blood in good condition. Hood's Sarsaparilla acts directly and peculiarly on the blood—it purifies, enriches and revitalizes it and builds up the whole system.

Hood's Sarsaparilla has stood the test of forty years. Get it today. It is sure to help you.

Flower Seeds

Plant early—start them indoors and have beautiful blooming flowers the first of Spring.

Our Seeds Are Fresh

and of the very best quality. We are selling them at the same old prices and can supply all your needs.

Try our choice mixture of Sweet Pea Seeds.

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Leading Druggists
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Public Is Urged To Attend Lecture

The general public is cordially invited to attend the lecture of Mrs. Dora Sandoe Buchman on the subject, "Modern Conditions in Public Education," which will be held at the high school auditorium on Tuesday evening, Mar. 23, under the auspices of the Mothers' Club of the lower Fourth street school building.

The lecture is in line with the other activities of the Mothers' Club to provide enlightenment for the public in matters of education. Mrs. Buchman is a member of the board of education of Columbus, and has been a practicing attorney for the last twenty years. She was the first woman to obtain a degree in the law department of the Ohio State University, and is now a member of the firm of Buchman and Buchman, composed of her husband and herself. She is a woman of rare gifts, and should be welcomed by a large crowd.

TO TAKE UP COLLECTION FOR POPE

On account of the big European war in which Catholic nations are pitted against each other, the Catholics in the United States and other neutral countries are looked to be the chief contributors to the Peter's Pence this year.

This is the annual collection taken up throughout the world for the Pope. In this diocese the collection is usually held in August, but Rt. Rev. J. J. Hartley, bishop of Columbus, has designated next Sunday for that purpose. In the church calendar this is St. Benedict's day, the feast day of the present pontiff, Pope Benedict.

GOOD LOOKS

Good looks are impossible for the wearers of the old-fashioned "double vision" glasses with the two conspicuous, disfiguring seams and shoulders.

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Every skipped hill is a loss—in fertilizer, labor and land—and every double a waste of expensive seed and marketable potatoes. It means $10 to $50 an acre extra profit from the average field if all those hills are planted. It is this margin that more than pays for an

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It places every seed piece just where you want it—right depth and right distance apart. Sows fertilizer at the same time, in a six or eight inch stream across the furrow, yet without touching the seed.

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Many attachments make this machine of value all through the season—for ridge dressing, ridging, making up rows, spreading or covering furrows and as a corn, bean and pea planter. Fertilizer distributors in two sizes, regular, which holds a little over half a sack, and a large one that holds a whole sack.

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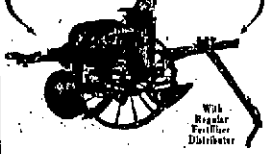

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Four Months For Only 25c

Tuesday only, we will accept four-month subscriptions to Pictorial Review for 25c. Subscribers to call at the pattern counter each month for their magazine. This exceptional offer should be grasped by every woman who likes a good magazine with authoritative styles.

Remember, Tuesday is the last day of this special offer.

Pictorial Review four months for 25c.

Men's 50c Ties "Going Like Sixty"

We have on display in our haberdashery window what is perhaps the greatest assortment of men's ties in the city. These are remarkable values and the selection comprises scores and scores of styles and patterns, entirely new and just out for Easter. The entire lot is going at 50c each and any man can easily select three or four that he thinks are the prettiest he has ever seen. The minute this great display of ties was put into the window they attracted the attention of the best dressed gentlemen on the street and the ties commenced to sell. Thus we placed a card on the display, "Ties 50c, going like sixty."

Get your Easter ties for 50c from this large assortment.

New White Linens 50c to 85c

We just received last Friday our last shipment of white dress linens at the old prices. That is, at prices in effect before the war commenced. All linens that we must purchase from now on will be materially higher in prices. What stock we have on our shelves now will go at the old prices that have been in effect at this store for years, and we take this means of notifying our customers so that they may take advantage of what is really a very special sale on white linens. Future prices must necessarily be advanced twenty-five to fifty per cent. Buy now at low prices.

We might say regarding table linens, however that we are fortunate in being able to supply the community in this line at old prices for some time to come, although most stores have found it necessary to advance prices, which is perfectly legitimate according to the present market prices of linens. Our obtaining of old, low prices, is but another demonstration of the fact that The Big Store is continually looking after the interests of its customers.

Buy your table linens at Andersons'.

The Anderson Bro's Co.
COR. CHILLICOTHE & THIRD STS.

TELEPHONE HEAD POINTS OUT CONDITIONS NEEDED FOR PROSPERITY RETURN

New York, March 15.—There are two million persons unemployed in the United States whose yearly earnings should at least be $1,250,000,000, says Theodore N. Vail, president of the American Telephone and Telegraph company in the annual report of the company issued today. The unemployed are now living at the expense of their savings, their friends and of the public, he says, and what is needed to bring about their re-employment and the return of prosperity is a restoration of conditions which would inspire confidence in the securities in the public service and manufacturing enterprises to enable them to obtain capital for extension and improvement.

A billion dollars a year is needed, he asserts, to put these enterprises in a position to meet the demands of the country both as "growing" and "going" concerns and if they could begin the expenditure of even a part of that sum, "it would soon restore the normal conditions of employment, expenditure, consumption, production."

Working Line Will Succeed Bread Line

"The circles of industrial condition would again be balanced," he says, "shops and factories would be filled and instead of the bread line there would be a working line night and morning between places of employment and homes."

Mr. Vail pleads for regulation that "will be thorough and effective and at the same time equitable, just and practicable." Remarking that in the past the position of public service companies had been made difficult by the activities of "irresponsible demagogues," he expressed the belief that the public would "see that justice is done."

Demands of Labor Cause Increased Rates

"Control and regulation can become destruction instead of constructive," he continues," they can delay and paralyze commerce. Demands of labor for increased wages and shorter hours and demands of the public for increased service, must be met by increased revenue produced by increased rates."

Mr. Vail cites the falling off in the telephone business—"the last to feel depression and the first to recover"—as indicative of the business reaction; the European war. The increase of the number of subscribers' stations last year was only 76 per cent of the number added in 1913 and the smallest in any of the four previous years, according to the report.

Use Taft's Argument For Civil Service

Cincinnati, March 15—A letter written by Prof. William H. Taft in support of civil service in Connecticut is being used by the Ohio Civil Service Association, of which Charles B. Wilby, of Cincinnati, is president, in a campaign against two bills pending before the legislature to amend the civil service laws.

A copy of Prof. Taft's letter, in which he declares that "one of the surest paths to better politics and better government service in this country is through the enforcement of a merit system in appointments and promotions in the civil service," has been mailed to every member of the legislature, together with the arguments of the association against the two bills."

Lobbyists Have An Inning At Capital

Columbus, March 15.—A legislative investigation of lobby activities in the present assembly became a possibility today when a number of legislators discussed the question informally and considered preparing a resolution calling for such an investigation.

Representative Denton, of Miami, Republican, commenting on the proposed investigation, said:

"There is a larger bunch of trained lobbyists here this year than I ever saw before. Many are not registered and they are spending money lavishly on entertainment."

Several senators also have been considering investigating a formal inquiry into lobby conditions on the supposition that the lobby law requiring regulation of lobbyists is being violated.

KRON PRINZ HAS SUNK 13 VESSELS

Rio Janeiro, March 15—The German auxiliary cruiser, Kron Prinz Wilhelm, which had aboard 500 German sailors, has sunk 13 vessels since she began her raid on commerce, according to the passengers and crew of the French steamer Guadeloupe, who were taken to Pernambuco by the British steamer Churchill. The Guadeloupe was sent to the bottom by the Kron Prinz Wilhelm near the Island of Fernando de Noronha, off the eastern extremity of Brazil.

Has New Job

Frank Hacquard has given up his position as driver for the River City Lumber company to take a similar one with Lumberman D. L. Webb.

Watson Checked Up.

Engineer J. F. Witmer has checked up Resident Engineer W. W. Watson's report on the New York Continental Jewell Co.'s sub-division, namely the filtration plant and reports it completed.

WOMEN BAR WAR TONE

Cleveland, March 15—A fight against the military note in Spring fashions for women is planned by the Cleveland circle of the Woman's Peace Party. Members of the party decline to lend their approval of the European conflict by wearing near-military trappings.

"We shall ignore this fashion flurry by wearing our old clothes or by waiting until the manufacturers give us what we want," says Mrs. Milton R. Schatz.

Will Open Revival

Rev. G. A. Beers, who closed a very successful revival at the New Boston Baptist church two weeks ago will start a two weeks' revival at the Kendall avenue Baptist church, delivering his first sermon Easter morning.

Administrator Named

Fred Marshall was appointed in probate court Monday as administrator of the estate of J. W. Marshall, deceased, late of Porter township. The estate consists of personal property worth $300, and bond in that amount was furnished.

Child Burned.

Hazel, two year old daughter of Frank Wilkins of Fourteenth street, was badly burned about the arms and hands Sunday when it upset cup of boiling hot coffee on itself while at the supper table.

ALLEN CHAPEL NOTES

Sunday, being beautiful and spring-like, made it a red letter day in the history of Allen Chapel A. M. E. The Sunday School was largely attended. There were 105 present. The Sunday School has a reputation of taking good collections, but on this occasion it outdid itself when it reported a collection of $13.56.

This being quarterly meeting and baptism. A large congregation greeted Presiding Elder Dr. Gazaway, who had charge of the services and delivered a forceful sermon.

At the close of the services baptismal ceremonies were conducted by the presiding elder. The following persons were baptized by sprinkling: Paul Ferguson, Jas. Richardson, Magdaline Richardson, Jolene Richardson, Curtis Richardson, Felma Bush and Ada Underwood. At the close of these services 33 converts of the recent revival and other additions were taken into the church. In the afternoon communion services were held. The Rev. Franklin R. Mason delivered a timely and eloquent sermon. At the close of the sermon another baptism was held and twelve persons taken into full membership. Communion services were then conducted by the presiding elder, assisted by Revs. Irvin, Metcalf and Mason. Ninety members including the converts partook of the communion.

At 6 o'clock the Christian Endeavor was conducted by John Richardson and a splendid program was carried out. At the regular services there were 225 present and packed the auditorium. Dr. Gazaway preached an eloquent sermon and the choir rendered some beautiful selections. A duet by Mr. and Mrs. John Richardson and a solo by Miss Franklin Mason. Mr. Garrett Storks also sang a solo. At the close of the services a baptism was held, the following persons being baptized: Celestus Fannie Garrett, Virginia Anna Mary White and Chas. Hamilton.

Mr. Joseph Turner then was taken into the church. Throughout the whole day, Sunday, more than 60 persons were taken into full membership, including the converts.

Mr. Stork brightened the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elden Davis of 2217 Gallia street, Sunday when he left bouncing baby boy.

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MORE THAN A MERE CATHARTIC

SMILE WITH THE MORNING SUN

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GOVERNMENT TO HAVE AEROPLANE FACTORIES IF CONGRESS APPROVES

Washington, March 15—Congressional approval is all that is needed for the establishment of government aeroplanes manufacturing plants at Philadelphia and New York. Plans for such factories have been prepared by the navy department, each to cost about $30,000 and each capable of turning out two or three machines a month at a cost of about $6,000 each.

Though the war department some years ago purchased a small dirigible balloon, army aviation officials have never felt warranted in developing that type of air-craft and have concentrated all their efforts on the aeroplane. The navy, however, is about to embark on a set of experiments to determine the availability of the dirigible for use on ship board. The ability of this kind of air-craft to hover for long periods over one spot, such as the entrance to a harbor, or near a parent battleship, is believed to be a valuable feature.

Specifications have been prepared for such a machine upon which proposals will be invited. By comparison with the giant Zeppelins of Germany, this will be a miniature air-craft.

DETROIT WAR ORDERS TOTAL $40,000,000

Detroit, March 15—War orders in Detroit have totaled $40,000,000, according to estimates made by an expert manager. Most of these, of course, have been for motor cars, but other manufactured goods contributed many millions.

Large orders of shrapnel were filled in Detroit by at least three factories. Large numbers of copper shells also were made here, the greatest trade being in eight-inch shells. A knitting factory was kept busy for three months on orders of sweaters and hosiery. Saddlery orders amounting to $60,000 were filled.

Eleven To Pay Death Penalty In Arkansas

Little Rock, Ark., March 15—Eleven prisoners held under sentence of death at the state penitentiary will be electrocuted, three of them this month, as the result of the failure of the legislature to pass a bill abolishing capital punishment, it was announced today.

Four of the condemned are white and seven are negroes. The first electrocution will be next Friday.

Governor Hayes had announced he would permit no capital punishment in the state until after the adjournment of the legislature and that he would commute sentences of those men condemned to die, if the bill abolishing the death penalty passed.

PANIC FOLLOWS FIRE IN NEW YORK SUBWAY

New York, March 15—Fire early today in the new subway under construction on Seventh avenue between 42nd and 45th streets filled the streets with smoke, tied up traffic on a portion of the old Broadway subway and some of the adjacent surface lines and drove hundreds of guests from the hotels clustering about Times Square. The fire was discovered at 3:10 a. m. and two hours elapsed before it was brought under control and service was resumed on the various transportation lines.

Sheppard Named.

Attorney George W. Sheppard was appointed in probate court Monday as administrator of the estate of Eli Hartley, deceased, late of Jefferson township. The estate is valued at $5500, of which $500 in personal and $5000 real property. The widow, Lucy Hartley, is the only heir.

STRENGTH

Without Overloading the Stomach

The business man, especially, needs food in the morning that will not overload the stomach, but give mental vigor for the day.

Much depends on the start a man gets each day as to how he may expect to accomplish the work on hand.

He can't be alert with a heavy, fried-meat-and-potatoes breakfast, requiring a lot of vital energy in digesting it.

A California business man found a food combination for producing energy. He writes:

"For years I was unable to find a breakfast food that had nutrition enough to sustain a business man without overloading his stomach, causing indigestion and kindred ailments.

"Being a very busy and also a very nervous man, I had about decided to give up breakfast altogether. But luckily I was induced to try Grape-Nuts.

"Since that morning I have been a new man; can work without tiring, my head is clear and my nerves strong and quiet.

"I find that Grape-Nuts, with a little sugar and a small quantity of cold milk, makes a delicious morning meal, which invigorates me for the day's business."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

Lease Is Secured

Lease has been taken on the Jackson Cropper property, at Eleventh and Waller streets, by the Christian Moerlein Brewing Company, of Cincinnati, at a monthly rental of $75. The property is occupied by a saloon owned by Al Bradshaw, who purchased it from Cropper a few weeks ago.

Geeks To Gather

The Geeks, a society of the Moose lodge will meet tonight in William Barron's rooms in the Turley building. By-laws will be adopted and the charter will be closed. Ten new members will be taken in tonight and the meeting will close with a buffet lunch

SPECIAL PRICES

1 dozen fresh Eggs 18c
Butter .....20 to 35c
1 qt. Cranberries 5c
3 qts. Sour Kraut 10c
1 pkg. Potato Chips .....5 and 10c
1 bushel fine Potatoes 65c
Lard and Bacon .....12 and 14c
Flour ....45, 50 80, 90 and $1.00

All the fruits and vegetables.
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Give us a call it will pay you.

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AGITATORS AT IT AGAIN

MEN OF OHIO:

Petitions to force another vote this fall on a constitutional amendment for prohibition of manufacture and sale of beverage liquors are in circulation by the Prohibitionists. This same question was voted on at the election, November, 1914, and the prohibition amendment was voted down by 84,152 majority.

No reason exists for a renewal of the struggle on this question, especially since the adoption of the Home Rule amendment, whereby communities are free to vote themselves wet or dry, by municipalities or townships. The excuse given by the accredited leader of the prohibition forces, Mr. Wayne B. Wheeler, in his own words in a Portsmouth address is:

"What we plan to do is to make the saloon, distillery and brewery elements bankrupt themselves trying to keep Ohio wet. And we will succeed. We will wear them down and we will wear them out. We intend to have Ohio honorably and willingly adopt prohibition, if we have to vote long and often."

Will you, Men of Ohio, willingly lend yourselves to this piratical warfare on a part of your citizenship and on your own rights to control your personal conduct?

Every voter who is urged to sign the 1915 Prohibition petition should before signing ask himself a few questions:

QUESTION 1. Shall I line up with the prohibition crowd, which did its best to nullify the Initiative and Referendum, by claiming that no machinery existed for submitting the Home Rule constitutional amendment, although at the same election that same crowd had submitted in precisely the same way a constitutional amendment for State Prohibition? Will the voters of Ohio forget that the agency which sought to thus cripple the Initiative and Referendum was the Anti-Saloon League, and that in doing so it sought to defeat majority rule and postponed for months the operation of the adopted Home Rule amendment?

QUESTION 2. Shall I line up with the prohibition crowd, who in their efforts to defeat the Home Rule amendment resorted to misquoting its provisions and distorting its language, and on the basis of such misrepresentation obtained opinions from attorneys as to what would be the effect of its adoption, and placed these false opinions before the voters to influence their votes?

Read What Was Said By Prohibitionists Before the Election.

"Home Rule as demanded by Brewers' Initiated Amendment to Constitution, means Rum Rule and Home Ruin. It will repeal the County Option Law, the Sunday selling, the law against sale to minors. It will prevent the enactment of future state prohibitory laws, and makes wet territory of all townships with no municipalities in them."—From poster used in the 1914 campaign by Prohibitionists.

Similar statements were made by prohibition speakers, advertised in the press and announced from many pulpits. Not a single consequence prophesied has come to pass under the Home Rule amendment, and the real local option laws—residence district, municipal and township—continue in undisturbed operation, as evidenced by many elections since the adoption of the Home Rule amendment.

Read What Was Said By Prohibitionists After the Election.

"Nor does said Home Rule Amendment, so called, by its adoption above, impair, repeal or nullify within said Logan County, or within said other forty-four counties, or either of them, any provision of said County Local Option Law, or said Township Local Option Law, or said Municipal Local Option Law, or any other law under the provisions of which said counties or any subdivisions thereof have heretofore prohibited the sale, furnishing or giving away of intoxicating liquors as a beverage."—From petition of Hockett vs. The State Liquor Licensing Board, in Home Rule Amendment case No. 68,806, filed in Common Pleas Court of Franklin County by the Anti-Saloon League, November, 1914, and decided adversely to the petitioners in every court, including the United States Supreme Court, in February, 1915.

Can proof more positive be adduced that the prohibitionists are willing to appear before the voters with one line of assertion and in a sworn petition before a court will make statements absolutely contrary to that made to the electorate? In defense of such tactics, a speaker at the Dry Convention, held February 2, 1915, at Columbus, advanced the policy "that above all things the truth must be told about the Drys, but that it was not so important to tell the truth about the Wets."

QUESTION 3. Shall I line up with the prohibition crowd, who in spite of the calamitous commercial conditions now prevailing, in spite of the need of municipalities, of state, and of nation for governmental revenues easy to collect and felt without burden by those who pay, force upon the voters the expense of another election on a question already decided within so recent a period? Can the voters of Ohio view calmly the possibility of a decision in favor of Prohibition which will add to the army of unemployed, cripple governmental functions and raise taxes?

QUESTION 4. Shall I line up with the prohibition crowd, who are willing, as against saloonkeepers, brewers and distillers, to throw to the winds the constitutional principle that no private property shall be confiscated by the public without compensation, a principle which is time-honored and makes for the safety of all private property without exception? Will the voters of Ohio concede such an exception at the hazard that when next the cry of fanaticism is directed at some other objective like exception can be made until no security for private property rights remains?

QUESTION 5. Shall I line up with the prohibition crowd who deny to adult men the freedom of choice in reasonable indulgence in liquors when the experience of every state, which has attempted prohibition, has been a chronicle of failure to obtain real temperance and the fostering of conditions lamentably more disastrous than can possibly follow the licensed, regulated saloon? Will the voters of Ohio abandon Home Rule on the subject of the sale of intoxicating liquors, abandon license and local option at the behest of men who openly declare that their object will be served by bankruptcies of their fellow-citizens?

These are among the questions which every voter should answer at the bar of his private judgment before signing the prohibition petition or voting for a prohibition ballot.

If the struggle must come and a bitter campaign ensue, which will disrupt the state, this organization having espoused the Home Rule amendment, which it sincerely believes can and does meet the wishes of every community and leaves to each community its local self-government on the liquor question, will, to preserve that Home Rule and all that is implied by free community government, meet the issue, appealing confidently to the voters of the state for a successful outcome.

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BUYING AT HOME.

Getting back to buying at home there is no good reason why Portsmouth money should not be spent in Portsmouth when such goods can be bought here just as good and just as cheap as in other cities. And the very men who are wont to do this buying out of town are men who make their living off Portsmouth people. If Portsmouth citizens quit patronizing them, they would be setting up wails that would reach to high heaven. Why then should not such men consider the other side of the question, how their spending their money away from home affects the merchants here, how it reacts upon every man, woman and child in the city.

Why, we have heard it said that there are men in this town who in such trivial matters as neckties, handkerchiefs, hosiery, and similar articles, boast that they go outside to make selections. And they seem proud of it too that they have paid more money for almost the identical article than they would have to pay in Portsmouth. If we did not have good stores, if men and women could not get what they wanted in Portsmouth stores, we would have nothing to say. But in most instances the right goods can be bought here at the right prices. Why then, Mr. Out of Town Buyer do you not think of what you are doing.

Why not spend all the money you can in Portsmouth? Help make the general prosperity better, help make property better, help yourself and everybody else.

WHAT A STORY IT WILL BE.

Some day we hope the dramatic side of the war on the sea incident to the great struggle now going on in Europe will be written by a master pen. If so, what a thrilling story it will make, a story of daring raiders, gliding about on the high seas, picking up stray prizes here and there, coaling and provisioning from the captured ships before they were sent to the bottom, then on and on, constant lookout being kept for enemy's warships on their destruction bent, afraid to come in sight of land for fear information might get about as to their whereabouts.

And then, the final dash for some neutral port when conditions make the craft unseaworthy. What a strain it must have been, for instance, on the crew of the Prinz Eitel Friedrich, as they dodged in and out among the hostile British cruisers off the American coast, their wireless operator picking messages out of the air as they flew back and forth between hostile vessels on patrol duty. And what a sigh of relief must have gone up when the ship at last dropped anchor safely within the three mile limit at Newport News, Virginia. What a story it would make, if some officer gifted with imagination and the power to record the facts and impressions but kept the daily story of the wanderings of the Emden and the Prinz Friedrich. And equally fascinating will be the story of the cruisers on patrol duty, the story of their ceaseless vigil, and untiring efforts to run down the German commerce destroyers.

Let us hope that the tale will come.

THE TEACHER'S INSTITUTE.

With the personal jealousies or petty animosities of the teachers of Scioto county The Times has nothing to do, except in so far as such may serve to injure the cause of education. Then all citizens should take lively interest in such matters. And that is the way we feel about the matter of the Teachers' Institute. It is admittedly a valuable part of the educational progyam of the state, where it is conducted on right lines. When under the inspiration of County Superintendent McCowen the Institute in this county was abolished, we felt that it was time to call attention to what was being done under the new school law. We have done so frankly and without abuse, and we have also invited teachers to use our columns freely to explain why the Institute should, or should not be abolished. Some favorable to the continuance of the Institute have availed themselves of the offer. No one opposed has come forward, but some one signing the name of "A Rural Teacher" did write a card to the Morning Star. We do not know who wrote the card, but do know, from past experience, that it is about what we would expect to come from, or be inspired by a person who is known as a learned educator. His productions or inspirations have their own peculiar earmarks that make them stand out, and be identified anywhere. We have no interest as we said, except what is best for the schools. We are not entering into a billingsgate controversy with any one. If it is best for the county teachers to not have an Institute, let it be shown. If a mistake has been made, let it be corrected.

One point in the article is particularly discreditable to the person, both as to good sense, knowledge or intelligence, who signs himself "A Rural Teacher." That is where he says that in the past The Times and its staff controlled the schools of the county. The utter falsehood and profound absurdity of this statement is known to every one in anyways connected with school interests in this county, past or present. We do not know of anyone connected with the management of this paper who ever in any manner had anything to do, or attempted to have anything to do, with the school affairs of the county or city. If "A Rural Teacher" or any one else knows of any such instance, we will give him the paper and go into some other work. The schools have been controlled, if at all, by the county examiners and these were always Republicans named by the probate judge, also a Republican.

Of course such a silly statement was only made to create prejudice for a bad cause.

We understand that the Institute cannot now be held this year and we had decided to drop the subject for the present. However we are perfectly willing to renew the subject and present for the consideration of the citizens, who after all are the ones most deeply concerned, the facts as we are able to get them.

FALSE PRETENSE.

The Columbus Dispatch, a most conservative and independent Republican paper has this to say on a charge made and reiterated from nearly every platform by candidate Frank Willis in the campaign of 1914:

"The Willis administration, which came in two months ago declaring that Ohio was bankrupt, today stands convicted of deliberate deception of the voters and of obtaining power on false pretense.

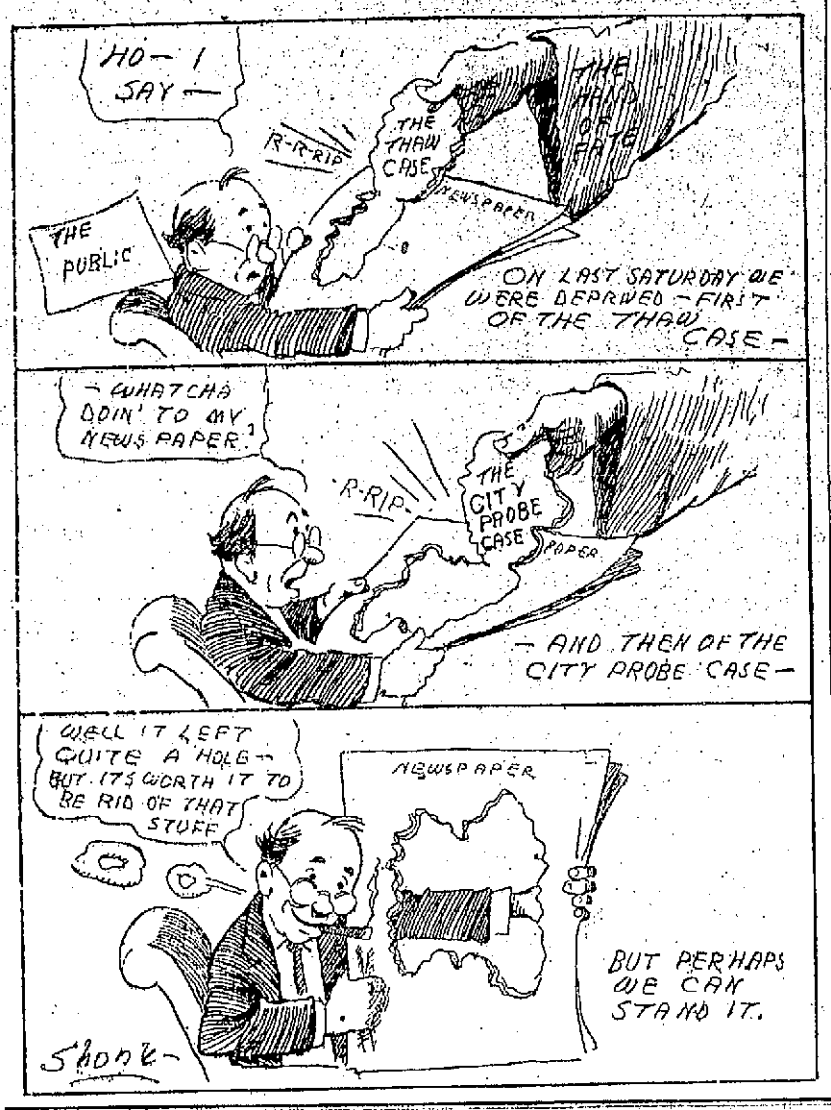
"The statement just made by Auditor Donahey to the legislature, sets forth that February 15, there was a cash balance of $11,002,173, against which there were outstanding obligations of $4,161,242, showing an actual surplus of $6,840,931. And this was over and above the sum of $2,402,197 in the workmen's compensation fund, held in trust for the payment of death and accident claims.

"Moreover, the estimated revenue will provide more money for use this year than was spent in 1914, without at all touching the nearly $7,000,000 surplus, and there will be available for appropriation in the next two years more than $48,000,000.

"The condition of the treasury thus revealed gives the lie to one of the bogus representations of the Republican organization in the last campaign and makes farcical the reduction of salaries of men who earn them in actual service of the state. There is need always properly to conserve the public funds but the cheese-paring process of the last few weeks has been without other reason than the fiction of the campaign by which the Republicans were helped to win their victory at the polls."

Possibly, some people may have believed the Cox administration had brought the state to bankruptcy, but there was no reason for the faith within in them except for an unreasoning and foolish desire to be so conflicted. The facts and figures to the contrary were always obtainable, were in truth tendered openly and often, but eyes and ears were closed against them. It is not at all creditable to the state that largely through gross false pretense and which he was most persistent in operating, her chief executive now holds his place.

ALL IN A SINGLE DAY



The Edge of Winter

The skies are getting blue again,
the sun is on its climb,
We're almost standing now upon
the edge of winter time;
Another step or two and we shall
reach the promised spring
And stand bare-headed out of
doors in orchards blossoming.

And we shall see the martins
mate, and hear the bluejay
cry,
And watch him work his villainies upon his neighbors
nigh,
The robin from the lawn shall
ting, with wonderous
strength and skill,
The slow, defenseless angle worm
and there shall eat his fill.

A thousand things there'll be to
see, a thousand joys to
charm,
And some shall find them in a
yard and some upon a
farm;
The roses that we've known so
long shall start to bud
again
and every sleeping plant shall
wake to feel the gentle
rain.

The joy of it is never old, there's
no monotony
In seeing tulips come to bloom,
and green adorn a tree.
The soul that's turned to living
things feels every year the
thrill
Of gladness that the blossoms
bring, and to the end it
will.
—Detroit Free Press.

Tongue Twister

Strict, strong, Stephen Stringer snared slickly six sickly, silky snakes.

Enough, But—

"Why didn't you enjoy the party, Harry? Didn't you have enough to eat?"

Young Hopeful—"Oh, yes, but there's no fun in having just enough."—London Opinion.

Chance To Shine

"Hurrah! They have given me a speaking part."

"And what part do you play?"

"I play the part of a bootblack."

"Goo denough. At last, my friend, you have a chance to shine."—Pittsburg Post.

Easter Outlook

I'm thinking of the coming day
When I must sell a sonnet
Or jokes enough to help to pay
For darling's Easter bonnet.
—Youngstown Telegram.

For Laura and Harriet, bless
them
And Marjory and her mother,
The sonnet bill and the bonnet
bill,
Make one hand wash the other.
—Ashtabula Star.

And if the sonnet should come
back
Too late to send another,
What would I say to Marjory,
Laura, Harriet and their mother?

A More or Less Dry Remark

"I've invented a boat made entirely of cork."

"Who will man it?"

"Oh, I am the cork's crew."

Speaking of Ages

Stranger—Can you tell me where I will find your bureau of vital statistics

Farmer Brown—I kin give you the village dressmaker's address. She knows the age of every woman in town.

The Line Is Busy

Sunday one of the young ladies from the telephone office went out with a party of friends on a fishing cruise; while they were fishing a boat loaded with another party of fishers passed by and some one on board recognized this young lady and hollered "Hello"; just then she got a bite and answered, "Line Busy."

Little Albert, aged five, had never seen roller skates or anyone skating on them. His favorite toys were his engines and trains of cars.

At the window one day he chanced to see small Nancy of seven, his special playmate, skating on the asphalt street with steel rollers.

Rushing to his mother in great excitement he exclaimed:

"Muddor, look! there goes Nancy on a train of cars!"

Not As Green As He Looked

A small boy, astride of a donkey, was taking some supplies to an army camp in Texas not long ago, and got there just as a detachment of soldiers, preceded by a band, was marching past.

The lad dismounted and held the bridle of the donkey tightly in his hand.

"Why are you hold ing onto your brother so hard?" asked a group of soldiers who were standing near and wanted to tease the country boy.

"I'm afraid he might enlist," said the lad, without batting an eyelash.

The Women Know

A woman can tell you who has the dirtiest front window curtains in the neighborhood and, if you can get her to waive her modesty, she can also tell you who lives in the house that sports the cleanest.—Zanesville Signal.

Timely Warning

Unless you want
To sneeze and sniff
Don't be too quick
To take 'em off.
—Youngstown Telegram.

For if too soon
You start to strip
You'll surely hand
A dose of "grip."
—Geneva Free Press-Times.

Unless you're feeling
Awful spry
Don't climb a tree
To swat a fly.
—Springfield (Mass.) Mirror.

Unless your health
Is very sound
Don't sit down
Upon the ground.

CLERK HAS SENATE BILL

Roy McElhaney, county clerk, is in receipt of a copy of Senate Bill No. 145, relating to the registration of land titles sent to him by Representative W. R. Sprague. Mr. Sprague says the supply of copies is limited and he can not comply with the requests for them.

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THE ADVENTURES OF MINNIE MONKEY

One Monday morning Minnie Monkey's mother said to her:
"It's half-past seven, I declare!
You'd better hurry round, my dear, or you'll be late for school;
Come, let me wash your face and comb your hair."

But Minnie Monkey teased and sulked and said: "Oh, mother dear,
Please won't you let me stay at home this once?"
Her mother said to her: "My child, you'll have to go to school,
Or you'll grow up to be a perfect dunce."

So Minnie started schoolward, though she didn't want to go.
Said she: "A day like this is much too fine
To stay inside a school room with a lot of stupid books;
I think I'll try a little monkey-shine."

By that Miss Minnie meant that she'd play hookey for the day;
And though it was a naughty thing to do,
She ran away from school as fast as ever she could go
Until she'd run perhaps a mile or two.

At last she stopped for want of breath and climbed up in a tree.
Said she: "I think that I'll rest here a bit."
Just then she spied a cottage not so very far away.
"I'll go," she said, "and have a look at it.

"I'm feeling rather hungry, too; I think I'll try to get
A sandwich at this cottage if I can."
She never would have ventured near the place if she had known
'Twas the cottage of an Organ-Grinder man.

But as she didn't know it she ran gaily up the path
And stopped to knock politely at the door;
Then suddenly Miss Minnie found herself surrounded by
More children than she'd ever seen before.

They quickly took her in the house and laughed and shrieked for joy
While Minnie very nearly died of fright.
The thrilling things that happened to Miss Minnie after that
I'll save to tell to you tomorrow night.

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It will be accessible to anyone who wants to see it at the clerk's office. The main feature of the bill is that it removes the compulsory section of the Torrens act.

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While wispy, gray, faded hair is not sinful, we all desire to retain our youthful appearance and attractiveness. By darkening your hair with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur, no one can tell, because it does it so naturally, so evenly. You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning all gray hairs have disappeared. After another application or two your hair becomes beautifully dark, glossy, soft and luxuriant and you appear years younger.

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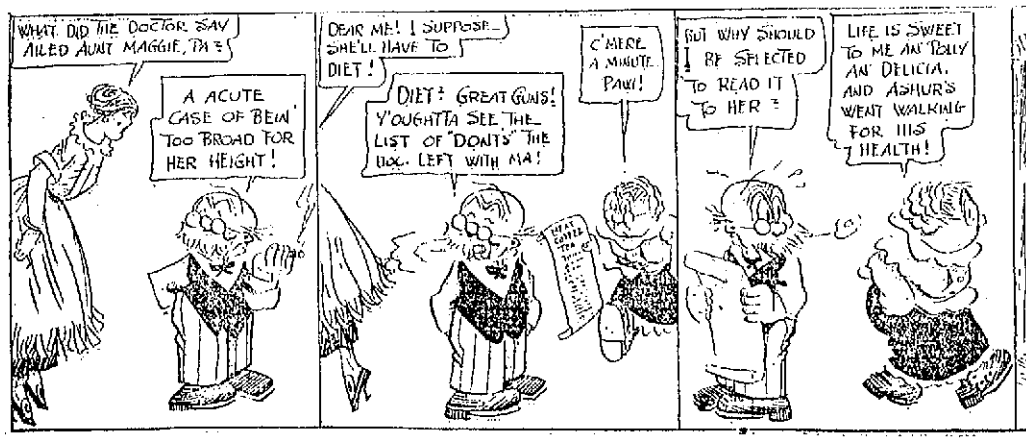
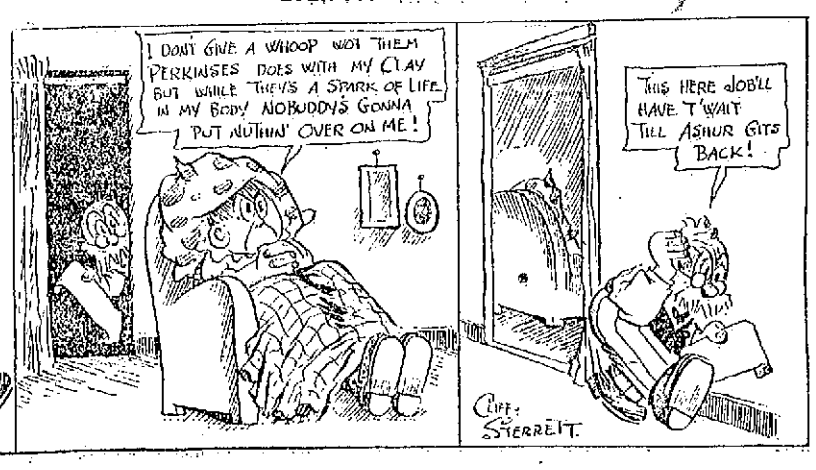


EVEN PA PASSES UP THIS JOB.



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Large new eight room house Kinney Lane, bath, pantry, reception hall, gas and electric fixtures, furnace, easy terms $4800

Fine new Bungalow on hill, near car line, bath, pantry, gas and electric fixtures, hardwood floors, and finish, floored attic, furnace, garage, corner lot street assessment all paid; a bargain $4100

Large seven room brick veneer home on Hutchins street, near carline line, reception hall, pantry, 2 fine tapestry mantels, floored attic, hardwood floors and finish, large lot, street assessment paid $5650

Large six room house 18th street, bath, pantry, reception hall, gas and electric fixtures, sliding doors ..... $3200.

Large five room cottage, Grant street, near Mound, reception hall, bath, pantry, floored attic, gas and electric fixtures, hardwood floors, house is storm sheeted, large lot $3200

Fine five room cottage with bath complete, 2 cabinet mantels, cistern, 2-story barn; a bargain, 6th St., near Campbell Ave. $2500

Nice five room, two-story house, Oakland avenue, bath complete, cabinet mantel, China closet, pantry, nice lot $2950

Good five room cottage, Fourth street, five minute walk from postoffice; three nice mantels, pantry, wood, slate roof $2750

Nice five room, two-story house on Sixth street, car line near Brown; cabinet mantel, pantry, front and rear porch $2400

Large five room house, Kendall avenue just north of Gallia; water, gas, front and rear porch $1900

Five room and bath complete, sliding doors, cabinet mantel, front and rear porch, pantry; Findlay street, on car line; a bargain if sold this month $2500

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WANTED:—Washing, house cleaning and plain sewing to do at 1221 12th St. 15-3

WANTED:—To exchange, good gold, 16-size hunting case for good open case. Call at Roy Wendelken's jewelry store, Gallia St. 15-2

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WANTED:—Twenty-five experienced girls on machines in lifting room. Steady work guaranteed. Write at once. The Elbinger Shoe Mfg. Co., Lebanon, Ohio. 11-5

NOTICE:—For prompt package delivery, call George Abrams, A 1025. 16tf

NOTICE:—Judson Whitfield cleans all paper clean. Phone 964 Y. 10-6

NOTICE:—Painting, paper hanging, wall paper cleaning. Al Reiniger, 1815 6th. Phone 1267 Y. 16tf

WANTED—Boarders at 1224 9th. Phone 618 B. 15tf

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NOTICE:—Luther Griffin is in the sod and grading business; all work guaranteed. 1524 Gallia. 13-2

WANTED—5 room cottage, bath, or 6 room two story on hill. I have a cash buyer. P. W. Kilcoyne, 1218 Grandview; Phone 1408 Y. 13-2

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FOR SALE:—New 4 room house and pantry, lot 30x283 ft., near Sciotoville. Arthur Elliott, Sciotoville, O. 15-6

FOR SALE:—Cheap, knock down wardrobe. Also antique furniture. 408 Market St. 15-6

FOR SALE:—Horse and harness, also huckster wagon. 1228 Front. 15-3

FOR SALE:—10 car loads clover and Timothy mix baled hay. Car lot price $12.00 ton f. o. b. Henley; less than car lot $14.00 ton. J. W. O'Brien, Henley, O. 10, 12, 13, 15, 20d

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FOR SALE:—6 room 2 story house on hill, bath, $600 down. $2850. 7 room house on hill, bath, $3000; 5 room cottage on hill, bath, $400 down, $2800.
P. W. Kilcoyne, 1218 Grandview avenue, phone 1408-A.

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FOR SALE:—Brick house, five rooms, can rent for $10. Bargain at $800 cash. Call 405 Court. 12-3

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5 room house, 1205 9th.
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4 room house, 417 Boundary.
4 room house, 419 Boundary.
4 room house, 427 Boundary.
4 room house, 429 Boundary.
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5 room house, 2035 5th.
3 room flat, 2027 5th.
5 room house 2041 5th.
4 room house, 712 Kendall.
3 room house, 2328 9th.
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5 room flat, 1919 8th.
5 room house, 915 Walnut.
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FOR RENT:—Furnished housekeeping room, 811 Front St., $2 per week; second door above Chillicothe St. 15-2

FOR RENT:—4 rooms at 547½ 7th St. Inquire 724 5th. 15-2

FOR RENT—4 room house in rear of 2333 Grant St. Call Phone 1194-Y or apply on premises. 15-3

FOR RENT:—Nicely furnished front light housekeeping rooms, bath complete, 1024 Gallia. 15-3

FOR RENT:—House, 417 Court. Inquire 702 9th. 15tf

FOR RENT:—Two unfurnished rooms with bath, 1801 6th. Phone 440-X. 15-3

FOR RENT:—Newly papered 5 room house, rear of 1120 Kendall. Phone 1582-A. 15tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms $2 per week each, 851 9th. Cor. 4th and Gay Sts. 15-3

FOR RENT—Nice rooms furnished for light housekeeping, bath, 601 Market. Phone 716 B. 13-3

FOR RENT:—Good barn. Call 1830 8th St. 13-3

FOR RENT:—2 furnished rooms for light housekeeping, all conveniences. Phone 1197 X. 1538 11th. 2tf

FOR RENT:—5 room house, water and gas, $10.00 per month. Inquire in rear at 1304 High St. 12-3

FOR RENT:—Furnished room with bath and phone 1120 8th. Gentlemen preferred. 17tf

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FOR RENT:—Three room flat over Wendelken's jewelry store, 905 Gallia. Gas and water. 18tf

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FOR RENT: — One-half third floor Haideman building. Inquire Style Shop. 12-3

FOR RENT:—House in rear of 511 Offnere. Reference preferred. 12-3

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FOR RENT:—Two nice rooms, furnished for house keeping. 311 Offnere. Phone 1040 A. 13-2

FOR RENT:—8 3-room cottages on East Mill St. One 5-room house Front and Waller. See M. A. Hammond 12 Union. 12tf

FOR RENT:—5 room flat, second floor, 1919 8th St., near new Excelsior factory, 4 room flat, first floor, 822 12th St. Phone 193 B. 1tf

FOR RENT:—6 room house 730 8th. Inquire 717 8th. 23tf

FOR RENT:—3 room upstairs flat. 8th and Brown. Phone 717. 10-6

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LOST:—Catholic Forester emblem. Phone 1717-A. 15-3

LOST—Black velvet pocket book between 14th and 9th on Findlay. Phone 1676 A, 1122 13th. 13-2

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The store room now occupied by the Globe Clothing Co. Will be vacated March 20th.
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The Markets

NEW YORK STOCK

New York, March 15.—Steadiness in leading stocks and irregularity in the specialties constituted the main features of today's dull market.

Shares of the various automobile companies were again to the force in today's early market operations. Gains in those issues ranged from material fractions to almost 3 points while the more seasoned stocks were less prominent some of the leaders showing no change from last week's close. Later, however, the list, as a whole rose moderately on light trading. The only notable exception was Texas company, which fell back 1½. Americans were irregular in London.

Improvement in the foreign situation and rumors of an early decision in the suit of the government against the United States Steel Corporation were used to stimulate the market during the early trading. The spurt was not well maintained, however, profit taking in the motors and other specialties soon giving the entire list a setback. Reading was heaviest of the leaders, with underlying firmness in steel and Union Pacific but trading was devoid of any significant by reason of its professional character and dullness. Future sales of bonds were again extensive, especially Central Pacific first and Southern Pacific refunding 4's.

Bonds were relatively more active than stocks in the late dealings, transactions in the usual leaders being few and far between. The closing was firm.

CLOSING PRICES NEW YORK STOCKS

Amalgamated Copper 54¾.
American Beet Sugar 40½.
American Cotton Oil 44.
American Smelting and Refining 64⅛.
American Sugar Refining 102¾
American Tel. & Tel. 120⅛.
Anaconda Mining Co 26⅛.
Atchison 96.
Atlantic Coast Line 99½.
Baltimore & Ohio 66¾.
Brooklyn Rapid Transit 87⅛.
Canadian Pacific 160¼.
Chesapeake & Ohio 41.
Chicago & North Western 124.
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul 86⅞.
Colorado Fuel & Iron 21.
Colorado & Southern 24.
Delaware & Hudson 145½.
Denver & Rio Grande 6.
Erie 22¾.
General Electric 139½.
Great Northern pfd 116.
Great Northern Ore Ctfs 32½.
Illinois Central 102½.
Interborough-Met. 12⅞.
Interborough-Met. pfd. 60½.
Inter Harvester 92.
Louisville & Nashville 112½.
Missouri Pacific 11.
Missouri, Kansas & Texas 10½.
Lehigh Valley 135¼.
National Lead 52.
New York Central 83.
Norfolk & Western 101⅝.
Northern Pacific 103.
Pennsylvania 105.
People's Gas 119½.
Pullman Palace Car 150⅞.
Reading 144¼.
Rock Island Co ⅞.
Rock Island Co. pfd 1⅛.
Southern Pacific 83¾.
Southern Railway 15¼.
Union Pacific 120¼.
United States Steel 45½.
United States Steel pfd 105.
Wabash 5⅝.
Western Union 64½.
New Haven 52¼.
Bethlehem Steel 56.

CHICAGO GRAIN

Chicago, March 15.—Higher prices at Liverpool, where there was a large decrease in stocks, had a bullish effect today on the wheat market here. The outlook for a decided falling off in the domestic visible supply total counted also against the bears. Offers were scarce here until the price in some case moved up 2⅞ above Saturday's finish. The opening, which ranged from ¼ to 1⅝ higher, was followed by a continuous advance until orders to purchase were filled, but then a material reaction took place.

Smallness of receipts helped to lift the corn market. In addition, one of the largest houses in the trade, was a conspicuous buyer of futures. After starting a shade off to ⅝ up, prices scored gains all around.

Increased strength in wheat developed later owing to disfavor of export sales of cash wheat here, and because of the suspension of telegraph service between Italy and Austria. The close was nervous 2⅛ to 3¼ above Saturday night.

Rainy weather that promised continued smallness of arrivals brought about a further hardening of corn prices. The close was steady at 1⅛ to 1¼ and 1⅜ net advance.

Lively commission house demand for oats were in evidence. Pit traders who were short hurried to cover.

Large export clearances tended to steady provisions. On the other hand there was considerable selling in small lots by miscellaneous holders.

OPENING PRICES

Wheat: May, $1.57½ to $1.57; July, $1.24¾ to ¼; Sept., $1.00¼

Corn: May, 74⅜c to ¼c; July, 76⅞c to ¾c.

Oats: May, 60½c to ⅛c; July, 55c.

CLOSING PRICES

Wheat: May, $1.58⅝; July, $1.24¼.

Corn: May, 75½c; July, 77⅜c.

Oats: May, 60¼c; July, 55¼c.

CHICAGO

Chicago, March 15—Hogs: receipts, 34,000; slow, 5 cents above Saturday's average. Bulk, $6.80 to $6.95; light, $6.70 to $7.00; mixed, $6.70 to $7.00; heavy, $6.40 to $6.95; rough, $6.40 to $6.55; pigs, $5.60 to $6.85.

Cattle: receipts, 15,000; strong; native steers, $5.80 to $8.85; western, $5.00 to $7.45; cows and heifers, $3.40 to $7.70; calves, $6.50 to $10.

Sheep: receipts, 17,000; firm; sheep, $7.00 to $8.10; yearlings, $7.80 to $9.10; lambs, $7.00 to $10.

PITTSBURGH

Pittsburgh, Pa., March 15—Cattle: receipts, 1400; steady; top, $8.60.

Hogs: receipts, 4700; higher; prime heavies, $7.25 to $7.40; heavy mixed, $7.50 to $7.40; mediums and heavy yorkers, $7.65 to $7.70; light yorkers, $7.50 to $7.60; pigs, $7.15 to $7.25.

Sheep and lambs: receipts, 1,200; higher; top sheep, $8.50; top lambs, $10.50.

Calves: receipts, 500; steady; top, $10.50.

CINCINNATI

Cincinnati, March 15—Hogs: receipts, 7900; slow; packers and butchers, $7.25 to $7.35; common to choice, $5.25 to $6.15; pigs and lights, $5.50 to $7.35; stags, $4 to $5.

Cattle: receipts, 100; steady; steers, $5.75 to $7.50; heifers, $5 to $7.50; cows, $3.50 to $6.25; calves, slow, $5.00 to $9.00.

CLEVELAND

Cleveland, March 15—Cattle: receipts, 600; market, steady; choice fat steers, $7 to $7.25; good to choice butchers steers, $6.75 to $7.00; good to choice heifers, $6.25 to $6.75; good to choice butcher bulls, $5.75 to $6.50; good to choice cows, $5 to $5.50.

Calves: receipts, 500; market, 25c lower; good to choice veal calves, $8.00 to $8.50.

Sheep and lambs: receipts, 2,000; market, steady; good to choice lambs, $9.25 to $9.50; fair to good, $7.50 to $8.50.

Hogs: receipts, 7,000; market, 10c higher; yorkers, light yorkers and mediums, $7.35; heavies, $6.85; pigs, $6.75; roughs, $5.85; stags, $4.75.

SUGAR

New York, March 15.—Sugar futures were steady on scattered covering by commission houses and a little buying by trade interests, prompted by continued firmness of the spot market, and at midday were 1 to 2 points net higher. Raw sugar firm; centrifugal 4.89c; molasses 4.12c; sales 20,000 bags. Refined steady; cut loaf 6.80c; crushed 6.70c; mould A 6.35c; cubes 6.15c; XXXX powdered 6.05c; powdered 6.00c; fine granulated 5.00c; diamond A 5.90c; confectioners' A 5.80c; No. 1, 5.65c.

Selling became quite general in the afternoon and prices declined and closed east, 1 to 5 points lower; sales 9,200 tons. March 3.80c; May 3.89c; July 4.01c; Sept. 4.10c.

CHICAGO

Chicago, March 15.—Butter unchanged.

Eggs—higher, receipts 17,264 cases; at mark cases included 16@17½c; ordinary firsts 16½@½c; firsts 17⅜@½c.

Potatoes—higher, receipts 33 cars; Michigan and Wisconsin red 32@35c; do white 32¼40c.

Poultry alive higher, springs 16c; fowls 16c.

COTTON

New York, March 15.—Cotton futures closed steady. March 8.51c; May 8.89c; July 9.14c; Oct. 9.43c; Dec. 9.60c.

MONEY

New York, March 15.—Call money steady high 2; low 1⅞; ruling rate 2; last loan 2; closing bid 1⅞; offered at 2.

COFFEE

New York, March 15.—Coffee Rio No. 7, 7⅞c. Futures easy; May 5.88c; July 6.94c.

METAL

New York, March 15.—Tin strong, 5 ton lots $45.50@50.50; 25 ton lots $49.00 bid. Copper firm; electrolytic $14.87@15.00; casting $14.25@14.62.

Iron steady; No. 1 northern $14.50@15.00; No. 2, $14.25@14.75; No. 1 and 2 southern $14.25@14.75.

TOLEDO GRAIN

Toledo, March 15—Wheat: cash, $1.60; May, $1.60⅛.

Corn: cash, 76¾c to 77¾c; May 77½c; July, 79⅝c.

Oats: cash, 62¼c to 62¾c; May, 62c.

Rye: No. 2, $1.17.

Cloverseed: prime cash, $8.50; April and October, $8.10.

Alsike: prime cash and March, $8.55.

Timothy: prime cash, $310; $3.05.

PROVISIONS CLOSE

Chicago, March 15—Pork: May, $17.00; July, $18.40.

Lard: May, $10.80; July, $11.07.

Ribs: May, $10.20; July, $10.50.

CLEVELAND

Cleveland, March 15—Butter: creamery extras in solids 31c to 31½c; prints 32c to 32½c; firsts, 29c to 29½c; seconds, 26c to 26½c; process extras 23½c to 24c; do firsts, 22½c to 23c; fancy dairy extras, 22½c to 24c; packing stock No. 2, 17c; No. 2, 15c to 16c.

Potatoes: new Bermudas, $6 to $6.50.

All other markets unchanged.

TERMINALS

N. & W. extra freight 1014-1013 in charge of Conductor F. W. Hasselman and Enginemen R. V. Stewart and O. E. Kittinger, detailed one car of coal in the local yards early Sunday when the trucks of the car climbed the rail. The train crew rerailed the car without the assistance of the wrecker.

The funeral of Mrs. Sarah C. Semock, who died late Thursday evening, was held from the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Francisco of 2962 Gallia pike at 9:30 o'clock Monday morning. Rev. F. B. Osborne conducted the services. Interment in Greenlawn.

N. & W. Chief Clerk C. I. Cheyney and local Freight Agent H. O. Bugh left early Monday for Cincinnati to attend a general traffic meeting.

Albert Eckfeld, N. & W. train dispatcher, is off duty on account of illness. Willard R. Bailey, N. & W. dispatcher of Sciotoville, is filling Eckfeld's place.

The members of the tabernacle will meet next Sunday afternoon at the tabernacle after the Bible school services to take up matters of business and the subject of whether or not a minister will be asked for to conduct regular services. There were no services Sunday evening.

Dave Bauer, N. & W. ticket agent, is suffering with grip.

Mrs. William Held, wife of a street car motorman of Gallia pike, is ill.

GIRL, RELATIVE OF BRYAN, HEROINE IN SOUTH SEA WRECK

Miss Edna Bryan.

Miss Edna Bryan, daughter of a cousin of Secretary of State Bryan, arrived in San Francisco from Australia last week. She brought for the first time details of a thrilling motor boat wreck off the bleak New Zealand coast in which she was one of the heroines.

DUTEIL'S CORNER

Mrs. Philip Bescoe and Mrs. Frank Ruth were calling on Mrs. Martha Dutiel Tuesday.

Mrs. Jasper Perry, Mrs. Lafe Cayton and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jones, all of Turkey Foot, spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. John Farrel, Tuesday.

Albert Roof is done clearing ground for Neice Yates and Albert thinks he will not have to work any more this spring.

Mr. O. A. Hixon made a business trip to Block Fork Tuesday.

F. W. Ruth and Charles Bescoe made a business trip to Portsmouth, Monday.

Mrs. Emma Taylor and brother, Mr. Frank Nagel, went to Portsmouth, Tuesday.

Theodore Kearns is sick.

Mrs. Albert Roof was calling on Mrs. Philip Bescoe Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Mathiot, who have been shut in with bad colds, are able to be out again.

ROCKY

Mrs. John Kennedy and friend, Miss Cora Leesburg, were visiting Mrs. Sam Charles and daughters Sunday evening.

Mr. Robert Smith, of this place, was seen on the upper end of Rocky, Saturday.

It is reported that Evert Redman and his friend, Tom Leightly, are still making their regular trips to Roy Richards' store. Is it true, boys?

Mrs. S. B. Douglas and her little grand son, Samuel Powell, are very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Pierce and little daughter, Audrey, spent Monday night with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Pierce, and family.

Arthur Unger and wife have moved on Mrs. Hannah Watson's farm.

Mr. Lee Burley had a fine horse to die Saturday.

TEACHES WOMEN TO RUN CLUB MEETINGS

Mrs. Urquehart Lee.

Mrs. Urquehart Lee has adopted a rather unique vocation for a woman, but one that seems to yield rather large returns and performs a service that is in-demand. She teaches parliamentary procedure and renders first aid to the distracted chairman, or "chairladies," of feminine organizations in the large eastern cities.

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TURNED OUT JUST IN TIME TO PREVENT AN ACCIDENT

A serious accident was narrowly averted at the N. & W. crossing, Findlay street, about 10:30 o'clock Monday morning, when a driver of a coal wagon turned his team of horses to the right just in time to prevent them from being struck by the engine of Passenger train No. 20, from Cincinnati. The side of the engine barely grazed one of the horses, but the animal was uninjured.

The engineer stopped the train as usual in the cut approaching the crossing, and had started it up again just as the driver started his team across the tracks. He did not notice the engine until it was almost upon him, and had barely time to turn the team to the right. Passengers at the N. & W. depot, one square east, turned their heads, expecting to see the horses ground to pieces under the wheels of the train.

HALT ALL SHIPPING

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tody of the marshal of the prize court. Goods so discharged, if not contraband of war, shall, if not requisitioned for the use of his majesty be restored by order of the court and upon such terms as the court may in the circumstances deem to be justified to the person entitled thereto.

"Second—No merchant vessel, which sailed from any German port after March 1, 1915, shall be allowed to proceed on her voyage with any goods on board laden at such port. All goods laden at such port must be discharged in a British or allied port. Goods so discharged in a British port shall be placed in the custody of the marshal of the prize court and if not requisitioned for the use of his majesty shall be detained or sold under the direction of the prize court. The proceeds of the goods so sold shall be paid into court and dealt with in such a manner as the court may in the circumstances deem to be just, provided that no proceeds of the sale of such goods shall be paid out of the court until the conclusion of peace except on the application of a proper officer of the crown, unless it be shown that the goods had become neutral property before the issue of this order and provided also that nothing herein shall prevent the release of neutral property laden at such enemy port on the application of the proper officer of the crown.

Ship Carrying Enemy Property Are Included

"Third—Every merchant vessel which sailed from her port of departure after March 1, 1915, on her way to a port other than a German port and carrying goods with an enemy destination or which are enemy property, may be required to discharge such goods in a British or allied port. Any goods so discharged in a British port shall be placed in the custody of the marshal of the prize court and unless they are contraband of war, shall, if not requisitioned for the use of His Majesty, be restored by an order of the court upon such terms as the court may in the circumstances deem to be justified to the person entitled thereto, provided that this article shall not apply in any case falling within articles 2 or 4 of this order.

"Fourth—Every merchant vessel which sailed from a port other than a German port after March 1, 1915 and having on board goods which are of enemy origin or are enemy property may be required to discharge such goods in a British or allied port. Goods so discharged in a British port shall be placed in the custody of the marshal of the prize court and if not requisitioned for the use of His Majesty shall be detained or sold under the direction of the prize court. The proceeds of the goods so sold shall be paid into the court and be dealt with in such a manner as the court may in the circumstances deem to be justified provided that no proceeds of the sale of such goods shall be paid out of the court until the conclusion of peace except on the application of a proper officer of the crown, unless it be shown that the goods had become neutral property before the issue of this order, and provide also that nothing herein shall prevent the release of neutral property of enemy origin on application of the proper officer of the crown.

"Fifth—Any person claiming to be interested in or to have any claim in respect of any goods not being contraband of war placed in the custody of the marshal of the prize court under this order or in the proceeds of such goods may forthwith issue a writ in the prize court against the proper officer of the crown and apply for an order that the goods should be restored to him."

"The practice and procedure of the prize court shall, so far as applicable, be followed mutandis in any proceedings consequential upon this order:

"Sixth—A merchant vessel, which has cleared for a neutral port from a British or allied port or which has been allowed to pass as having an ostensible destination to a neutral port and proceeds to an enemy port shall, if captured on any subsequent voyage be liable to condemnation.

"Seventh—Nothing in this order shall prevent the relaxation of the provisions of this order in respect of the merchant vessels of any country which declares that no commerce intended for or originating in Germany or belonging to German subjects shall enjoy the protection of its flag."

MRS. WERTZ'S WILL

The will of Mrs. Lizzie Wertz, deceased, late of this city, was filed for probate Monday morning. Cash bequests include $1,000 to her daughter, Mrs. Laura Wertz Wilhelm; $1000 to her niece, Laura E. Barr; $500 to each of her grandchildren; and $200 to the German Evangelical church of this city.

Her daughter, Mrs. Laura Wertz Wilhelm, is bequeathed all of the furniture and household effects, and also the residence on Fourth street during her lifetime, the same to go to her heirs at her death. If she leaves no heir, it is to go to her son, Charles Y. Wertz.

Charles Y. Wertz is bequeathed the block at Third and Chillicothe streets, the home of the Criterion Clothing company, and also the farm in Washington township, and it is provided that both properties are to go to his children at his death. If he dies without heirs, they are to become the property of Mrs. Wilhelm. The residue of the estate is divided equally between Mr. Wertz and Mrs. Wilhelm, and they are authorized to sell any of the property and reinvest the proceeds of the estate.

Charles Y. Wertz is nominated as executor of the will.

Miss Margaret Lampton is ill with diphtheria at the home of her sister, Mrs. Samuel Williams, on Highland avenue. Miss Lampton recently came home from a visit in Cincinnati and was soon taken ill with this dread disease, but is getting along as well as could be expected.

Small Blaze

Sparks set fire to the roof of Bertha Bettman's property at 519 Seventh street, at 3:19 Saturday afternoon and did about $20 damage.

COULD NOT STAND ON FEET

Mrs. Baker So Weak—Could Not Do Her Work—Found Relief In Novel Way.

Adrian, Mich.—"I suffered terribly with female weakness and backache and got so weak that I could hardly do my work. When I washed my dishes I had to sit down and when I would sweep the floor I would get so weak that I would have to get a drink every few minutes, and before I did my dusting I would have to lie down. I got so poorly that my folks thought I was going into consumption. One day I found a piece of paper blowing around the yard and I picked it up and read it. It said 'Saved from the Grave,' and told what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for women. I showed it to my husband and he said, 'Why don't you try it?' So I did, and after I had taken two bottles I felt better and I said to my husband, 'I don't need any more,' and he said 'You had better take it a little longer anyway.' So I took it for three months and got well and strong."—Mrs. ALONZO E. BAKER, 9 Tecumseh St., Adrian, Mich.

Not Well Enough to Work.

In these words is hidden the tragedy of many a woman, housekeeper or wage earner who supports herself and is often helping to support a family, on meagre wages. Whether in house, office, factory, shop, store or kitchen, woman should remember that there is one tried and true remedy for the ills to which all women are prone, and that is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It promotes that vigor which makes work easy. The Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

Goods Disappear, Boys Are Held

Several youths were ordered into the mayor's court Monday morning to explain the disappearance of a hat, a black coal, a baby swing, a watch, and other articles stored by D. A. Alspaugh in the old Capt. Gilliland homestead on Second street just east of Sinton street. It was claimed that a panel of the door and a window pane was cut out in gaining entrance to the property.

Mayor Frick turned the lads over to Juvenile Judge Beatty, who dismissed all of them excepting Robert Stevens, John Allen, and Shirley Pancake. They have been ordered to report for hearing next Saturday.

SCHOOL ENTERTAINMENT

The entertainment to be given under the management of the Mothers and Teachers' club of the Eleventh street school will take place Thursday evening at the building. All persons holding envelopes will please report to the president, Mrs. Nettie Dill, between now and Wednesday evening. All children holding envelopes report to their teacher the program is as follows:

Music by the Lewis band.

Chorus by the school, "America."

Prayer by Rev. Irwin.

Chorus by Gospel Choir.

Reading—Mrs. M. Chapman.

Solo—Mr. John Richerson.

Instrumental music—Miss Lulu Turner.

Duet—Mr. G. Starks and Mrs. L. Sanders.

Reading—Mrs. Garrett.

Selection—Hamilton Quartet.

Duet—Mrs. Mattie Robertson and daughter.

Reading—Miss Pearl Anderson.

Program begins promptly at 8 o'clock.

SUNDAY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE SHOWS SPLENDID INCREASE

Ideal weather favored Sunday school attendants and the attendance took a decided jump Sunday. There were 866 more present Sunday than a week ago, when only 5166 registered against 6022 yesterday. It is the first time in a number of months that the total has passed the 6000 mark. Trinity went above the 900 mark, Christian coming along in second place with 868. Hutchins Street Baptist which has been hovering around the 100 mark jumped to 201 Sunday. Following is the record for Sunday.

Trinity	912
Christian	868
Manly	595
Second Presbyterian	588
First Presbyterian	480
Bigelow	467
First Baptist	331
German Evangelical	328
Grandview Avenue Christian	275
United Brethren	236
New Boston Baptist	225
Fourth Street M. E.	211
Hutchins Street Baptist	201
New Boston Christian	153
Kendall Avenue Baptist	152
Total	6022

NEW BOSTON

Eleven converts of the recent revival at the Baptist church were baptized in Munn's Run Sunday morning by Rev. Morris Bridwell after the church services. The following were baptized: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Coburn, Mrs. Frank Chase, Miss Bernie Staten, Miss Aurilla Emory, Chester Staten, Perry Gillum, Charles Lawson, Thomas Tibbs, Lowell Doley and Mrs. Alonzo Petry. About twenty five persons united with the church Sunday evening. Before preaching services at the Baptist church Sunday evening a Young People's Society was formed. Meetings will be held every Sunday evening from six to seven o'clock.

The ladies' Aid society of the Baptist church will hold an all day's session in the basement of the church to quilt Tuesday.

Rev. Pearl Hughes, former pastor of the Baptist church here has written friends that he just closed a very successful revival at the Lorain street Baptist church in Ironton. Rev. Hughes is secretary of religious work at the Russell, Ky., Y. M. C. A.

George Semones is working in Butcher Thurman Emory's place in Chinn's meat market while Emory is busy moving from Cedar street to Gallia pike.

Albert Emmett, N. & W. employee, of East Rhodes avenue, has been off duty several days suffering with a badly sprained back.

John Delabar' mail carrier resumed his rounds Monday after being off duty for a week suffering with an injured foot.

George Lander, transfer man is able to be out. He was badly bruised in a fall from his wagon over a week ago.

Mrs. Nellie Emmert wife of John Emmert is seriously ill at the home of her parents near Stockdale.

James Saunderson of East Rhodes avenue has returned from a visit to Greenville, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Benner of Cedar street are the proud parents of a baby daughter who arrived several days ago.

Mrs. Thomas Powell of Pine street is ill, threatened with pneumonia.

Golda Maple daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Maple of Stanton avenue is visiting her sister and brother-in-law Mr. and Mrs. John Ingles of Columbus, O.

Samuel Larrison and William Bowling of Murray City are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Bowling of West avenue.

Norman Preston of East Rhodes avenue spent Sunday with relatives in Huntington, W. Va.

Sheet and jobbing mills, Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 10, at the steel plant resumed work at midnight Sunday.

Mrs. J. T. Smith and son Murray have returned to Oak Hill after a several days' visit.

A good samaritan attended the meeting of the Ladies' Aid society of the Baptist church recently in the person of William Brisker, who presented the members with 61 yards of muslin and one dozen spools of thread. The ladies are glad that at least some folks realize and appreciate the good work of these ladies. Many thanks to Mr. Bricker.

Miss Florence School and brother Joseph Scholl of the city were the Sunday guests of Miss Margaret Emmert of Gallia pike.

The Excelsior Sewing club of the Baptist church held a very interesting meeting at the home of Mrs. William Jenkins Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Randolph Smith and family of 57 West Grace street have returned from Huntington, W. Va., where they attended the funeral of her son-in-law Mr. Aubrey Phillips.

Mrs. Nellie Phillips is ill of grip at the home of her sister, Mrs. Mary Smith.

The Willing Workers class of the Baptist church held a meeting Saturday afternoon at the home of their teacher, Mrs. James S. Moore of Oak street.

Prof. D. B. Davis will have charge of the choir practice at the Christian church Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Tibbs have returned home from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Chamberlain of Waits Station.

Arnold Carleton of near Wheelersburg was in the village on business Saturday.

A number of hoboes were the only "birds" in the village jail Saturday night. No arrests have been made for over a week.

MIDDLEBORO, KENTUCKY HAS $60,000 FIRE

Middleboro, Ky., March 15—Fire starting in the drygoods store of Joseph Tauer, on Main street, today destroyed three other small stores, part of a brewery and caused damage estimated at $60,000.

GOVERNOR AT BEDSIDE OF HIS AGED MOTHER

Columbus, March 15—Governor Willis was today at the bedside of his mother, Mrs. J. B. Willis, of Delaware, who is seriously ill with the grip.

It was reported today that because of her advanced age, recovery of Mrs. Willis is doubtful.

SUBMARINE LAUNCHED

Quincy, Mass., March 15—Submarine L-2 built for the United States navy was launched today.

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Tomorrow we are adding to our already large showing of this special price another lot of new Spring hat creations. Many are copies of much higher priced hats. See them tomorrow!

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Distinctive Styles

Materials and workmanship a little better than you ordinarily find at these prices.

Ministers Discuss Domestic Science

At the meeting of the Ministerial Association held Monday morning the Rev. E. G. Hamilton read a splendid paper on "Church Property" which was followed by a spirited discussion.

The Rev. W. P. Chapman, pastor of Pleasant Green Baptist church was present and discussed rumors of his leaving this pastorate. The members listened to his remarks, but did not take action one way or the other.

A member of the Y. W. C. A. appeared before the ministers and urged the churches to take up domestic science. It was stated that if each church would organize a class of ten or more members the Y. W. C. A. would furnish an instructor. Secretary Rev. Albert Marting stated Monday that there was a possibility of the churches taking up this work individually.

MAYOR MARRIED HIS FIRST COUPLE

One year, two months and thirteen days elapsed since he took his official seat before Mayor J. S. Davis of New Boston solemnized his first wedding ceremony. Saturday evening at half after 9 o'clock he married Miss Susie Johnson and Henry Culver at the home of Mrs. Clevie Viears of 275 East Rhodes avenue. The bride is 19 and the groom 20. The groom's father, William Culver, of Quincy, Ky., was present when the license was secured. Johnson is a steel worker.

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HELD AT QUARANTINE

New York, March 15—The Greek steamer Ioannia, which arrived here from Piraeus, Greece, with 269 passengers aboard, was held up at Quarantine by the health officers until they could definitely determine the nature of the illness of Imain Ginho, a steerage passenger who showed symptoms of Asiatic cholera.

A. MITCHELL PALMER TO COURT OF CLAIMS

Washington, March 15.—Former Representative A. Mitchell Palmer of Pennsylvania, has been selected by President Wilson for chief justice of the United States court of claims to succeed Judge Charles B. Howry, whose resignation is to take effect April 1.

BRAZIL SEEKS LOAN.

Rio Janeiro, March 15—The Brazilian government newspaper reports declare is arranging to float in New York a loan of $15,000,000 offering as guarantee custom house returns on American importations.

INVENTOR DIES

Chicago, March 15—Henry H. Sessions, inventor of the vestibule anti-telescoping device used on most railroad passenger trains, the air brake for street cars and several other railroad devices died at his home here yesterday.

BID ON STATE FUNDS

Columbus, March 15.—State Treasurer Archer today opened bids from private, state and national banks for the use of the sum of $10,352,000 which is in the state treasury.

Prayers Offered

Prayers were offered up at St. Mary's church Sunday for the recovery of Mrs. John Bust and Miss Anna Davis, both of whom are dangerously ill.

Rev. Plummer Here

Rev. C. B. Plummer, superintendent of the M. E. Conference of the Ashland, Ky., district, was in the city Saturday visiting friends.

MYSTERY SURROUNDS

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the scene of a determined attack on Warsaw. It is recalled that Field Marshal von Hindenburg never has been fond of moving far from his line of rail communication.

In the Carpathians the Russians apparently are abandoning their defensive attitude, for they are making desperate counter attacks on the Austrians with the greatest success, according to official announcements from Petrograd. The region of the principal Russian offensive is near Lupkow pass. Here the Russians claim heavy captures in prisoners and guns. On the other hand Vienna reports the failure of Russian counter attacks and the taking of many Russian prisoners as a result of bitter night fighting in the Carpathians.

Last night's Paris official announcement said the British success at Neuve Chapelle was more substantial than had been reported; that the French were making themselves secure in new trenches in the Champagne country, and that the aerial bombardment of West Ende had been effective.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

The Ohio Valley Bank

At Portsmouth, in the State of Ohio, at the close of business March 4th, 1915.

RESOURCES

Loans on Real Estate		$ 21,016.38
Loans on Collateral		25,455.59
Other Loans and Discounts		71,062.22
Overdrafts		231.74
State, County and Municipal Bonds not included in Reserve		3,500.00
Furniture and Fixtures		1,500.00
Cash Items		175.00
Due from Reserve Banks	$ 7,088.28	
Exchanges for Clearing House	2,618.88	
Gold Coin	2,940.00	
Silver Dollars	580.00	
Fractional Coin	129.62	
U. S. and National Bank Notes	1,725.00	13,721.78
TOTAL		$ 119,163.71

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock Paid in		$ 25,000.00
Surplus Fund		2,500.00
Undivided Profits less Expenses, Interest and Taxes Paid		1,571.71
Individual Deposits subject to check	$ 84,600.81	
Demand Certificates of Deposit	5,829.15	
Cashier's Checks	240.97	
Savings Deposits	48,780.62	
Total		139,451.57
Unearned Money including Certificates of Deposit representing Borrowed Money		5,500.00
Other Liabilities		137.43
TOTAL		$119,163.71

I, Filmore Marcher, cashier of the above named The Ohio Valley Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

FILMORE MARCHER.

State of Ohio, County of Scioto:

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of March, 1915.

JOSEPH W. MITCHELL, Notary Public.

No. 755.

CENTRAL NATIONAL BANK

Report of the Condition of The Central National Bank of Portsmouth, at Portsmouth, in the State of Ohio, at the close of business, March 4th, 1915.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts		$ 88,655.98
Overdrafts, unsecured		3,551.50
U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	$ 100,000.00	
U. S. bonds pledged to secure U. S. deposits (par value)	25,000.00	
Other bonds pledged to secure postal savings	3,000.00	21,000.00
Premium on other U. S. bonds	710.25	
Bonds, securities, etc., pledged as collateral for State or other deposits (U. S. postal savings excluded)	100,000.00	
Other bonds, securities, etc., owned unpledged (other than stocks), including premiums on same	19,187.71	119,882.89
Subscription to stock of Federal Reserve bank	$ 10,200.00	
Less amount unpaid	6,500.00	3,700.00
Furniture and Fixtures		17,825.81
Due from Federal Reserve bank		10,000.00
Due from approved reserve agents in central reserve cities	$ 48,687.17	
Due from approved reserve agents in other reserve cities	2,070.55	50,756.72
Due from banks and bankers (other than above)		7,138.08
Outside checks and other cash items, $1,710.95; fractional currency, nickels and cents, $28.34		1,739.29
Checks on banks in the same city or town as reporting bank		3,551.66
Notes of other national banks		2,000.00
Lawful money reserve in bank:		
Specie	$ 5,000.00	
Legal-tender notes	20,120.00	16,750.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (not more than 5 per cent of circulation)		5,000.00
Int. Revenue Stamps		240.26
TOTAL		$ 1,010,790.67

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in		$ 100,000.00
Surplus fund		20,000.00
Undivided profits	$12,960.39	12,960.39
Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid	7,401.88	5,557.51
Circulating notes		97,200.00
Demand Deposits:		
Individual deposits subject to check	314,560.46	
Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days	107,384.90	
Certified checks	1,431.92	
Cashier's checks outstanding	1,351.76	
United States deposits	2,023.52	
Postal savings deposits	1,800.34	
State, county, or other municipal deposits (other than above)	208,670.72	637,226.90
Time Deposits:		
Deposits subject to 30 or more days' notice	167,626.20	167,626.20
TOTAL		$ 1,040,590.67

State of Ohio, County of Scioto, ss.

I, George E. Kricker, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

GEORGE E. KRICKER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of March, 1915.

W. KINNEY, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

FRANK L. MARTING,
S. S. HALDERMAN,
GEO. J. SCHMIDT,
Directors.

AUTO CONTAINING 7 PLUNGES INTO RIVER; A BOY IS DROWNED

The lives of seven persons, six being of one family were imperiled Sunday afternoon when an automobile driven by Harry Parker ran off the ferryboat Winona moored at Ashland, Ky., Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock and plunged into the Ohio river. All were rescued except Ray Parker, 12-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Parker, who was drowned.

Their four children, Alfred, Ray, Mabel and Doris and Mrs. Parker's sister, Miss Gertrude Cole were in the machine. The party has been above Ashland and was returning to Ironton, where Mr. and Mrs. Parker reside in a fine new home on South Fourth street.

Fortunately the top of the seven passenger Jeffrey car was down and through this piece of good luck, Edward Pemberton, engineer on Winona ferryboat was able to rescue members of the automobile party. He proved himself a real hero and at the risk of his own life saved six lives.

The body of Ray Parker was found about 150 feet below the scene of the accident at 9 o'clock Monday morning. One of the support rods to the windshield was broken and it is thought that it struck the boy and rendered him unconscious. Searching parties had been at work all night.

Engineer Is The Hero of Accident

Just how the deplorable accident took place is not definitely known, but the theory is advanced that when Parker, who has had the machine only two weeks, put his foot on the accelerator instead of the break the machine leaped forward and plunged into the Ohio river, sinking in about 14 feet of water.

Realizing the peril of the party Engineer Pemberton leaped into the Ohio river and proved himself a genuine hero. He picked up two of the children and tossed them upon the ferryboat. Then he turned his attention to Mrs. Parker and sister Miss Cole. It was with great difficulty he rescued Mrs. Parker as she was in an unconscious condition. Miss Cole was then rescued from the river as was Mr. Parker, who was at the wheel of the machine.

Those rescued were rushed to the King's Daughter's hospital, where three physicians attended them. Mrs. Parker was reported in a dangerous condition last night, but was better this morning. Mr. and Mrs. Parker and family spent the night at the Ventura hotel in Ashland, returning to their home in Ironton Monday morning upon receipt of the news that the body of their son had been recovered.

Family Is Well Known

Mr. Parker is one of the best known men in Ironton and news of the regrettable accident in which the life of Mr. Parker's bright little son Ray was sacrificed caused quite a sensation there last night. Mr. Parker has for some time been employed as a chemist by the Belfont Iron Works Co. of Ironton. He had driven the car around Ironton, but had not taken any long trips, it was stated at Ironton, Monday.

All the parties are well known in Ironton and Ashland, where the thrilling accident was widely discussed last night and today.

It was stated that the Parker car had just about come to a stop on the ferryboat when suddenly it leaped forward and without warning plunged into the river.

The machine was hauled out of the river in a badly damaged condition, it was stated Monday.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY

St. Patrick's day will be observed Wednesday with a high mass at Holy Redeemer church Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock. The children of the parish will sing patriotic songs in honor of the patronal feast day. The chimes, too, will give an appropriate concert.

NOT WEST SIDE GIRL

Portsmouth, O., R. F. D. No. 1, March 15, 1915.

Editor Daily Times—Would like to call your attention to an article in your paper dated about February 26, in which there is reference to one Mabel Campbell as being gloriously drunk. It happens that my name is the same, and the fact is causing me a great deal of annoyance. My home is on the West Side and I was not in town at the time of the incident. Please print an explanation in your paper as soon as possible and oblige. Yours sincerely,

MABEL L. CAMPBELL.

FORTY HOURS DEVOTION

The Devotion of the Forty Hours will begin at St. Mary's church with a high mass next Sunday morning at 7:30. Rev. Father Carey, of Wheelersburg, Rev. Father Theodosius and some other out-of-town priest yet to be selected will assist the pastor, Rev. Father T. A. Goebel, during the exercises.

IT WAS VERIFIED

At the session of the Every-Man's Bible class Sunday morning, the question was, "How is danger, often, the call to duty?" The lesson tells us that Saul became enraged when he heard that the Ammonites were threatening the men of Jabesh. He, the anointed King of Israel, realized that it was time for him to act, and he rallied the fighting men of the nation to arms and smote the Ammonites, who thought they were superior in strength to Israel. And here is where Rev. Marting brought home these truths that in conceived self-security lurks great danger, and this danger should have this warning for us, that it is time for us to act, and be alert at all times, that the enemy of self-conceit should not overcome us and put us out of action. But he as Saul, recognize his duty and help our brethren, thereby we are also helping ourselves and society at large. And instead of being a useless member of society we become a blessing to our fellowmen, and our light will shine and glorify our Savior, who was always alert to defeat the designs of the evil one. Attendance was 30, four more than the same date a year ago. But we missed you that were not there. Come next Sunday morning. J. R.

SURE TO BE CANDIDATE

Attorney N. B. Gilliland announced Monday that he is waiting the action of the state legislature on the proposition to abolish nomination for mayor of Portsmouth. He added that if the bill is defeated he will start his petitions at once. Mr. Gilliland again stated that he would positively be a candidate and under no circumstances would he withdraw from the race.

Hearing Continued

The hearing of John Cooper for alleged stealing a ferret belonging to Mrs. Effie Billings, was continued until Tuesday morning.

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RECEIVER NAMED FOR EAST END COMPANY

Attorney J. P. Purdum was appointed by Judge Thomas in common pleas court Monday as receiver of the East End Furniture Company. The appointment was made upon the application of Jas. R. Miller, a stockholder and creditor, filed by Attorneys Millar and Micklethwait. Bond in the sum of $10,000 was required. Authority to take possession of all property, papers, accounts and assets of the firm was vested in him until further order of the court.

Judge Thomas also appointed A. J. Fuller, Louis C. Peel and John Voelker as appraisers to take an inventory of the firm's stock and assets. The store will be kept open while the inventory is being taken, and will continue to be open under the management of the receiver.

The consent of the firm to the appointments was contained in the answer of the president, C. H. Closterman, filed at the same time with the application.

Inability to pay off the firm's indebtedness, estimated at $31,292.60, was given as the reason for the filing of the application. The petition stated that the company had sufficient property to pay off the claims in full, but if sold at sheriff's sale at an arbitrary time its creditors and stockholders would be subjected to a great loss. It was also represented that careful management at the hands of a receiver would result in all claims being paid in due time.

The East End Furniture Company is capitalized at $50,000, of which $40,000 is common, and $10,000 preferred stock, according to the petition. Of the common stock, $37,715 has been subscribed, and of the preferred, $3,600. The petitioner, James R. Miller, represented to the court that he was the holder of $2600 worth of common, and $3000 worth of preferred stock, and that he was also a creditor of the firm to the extent of $1050.

Agreement Is Reached

An amicable arrangement having been made between the husband and wife over the custody of their child, Joyce, the divorce case of Mantie Smith against Ed. Smith was dismissed in common pleas court Monday. The child is to spend six months with each parent every year.

See that Walters Plumbing Co. figures your contract. adv

Case Dismissed

The case of William Felke against Adelaide Watkins and Mrs. Lizzie Evans, executrix of the will of the late N. W. Evans, has been dismissed, an entry to this effect having been entered upon the common pleas court journal Monday.

WHAT NEURASTHENIA IS

Neurasthenia is a condition of exhaustion of the nervous system. The causes are varied. Continuous work, mental or physical, without proper vacation periods, without proper attention to diet and exercise, also worry over the struggle for success, are the most common causes. Excesses of almost any kind may produce it. Some diseases, like the grip, will cause neurasthenia. So also will a severe shock, intense anxiety or grief.

The symptoms are over-sensitiveness, irritability, a disposition to worry over trifles, headache, possible nausea.

The treatment is one of nutrition of the nerve cells, requiring a non-alcoholic tonic. As the effort must nourishment from the blood, the treatment must be directed toward building up the blood. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills act directly on the blood and with proper regulation of the diet have proved of the greatest benefit in many cases of neurasthenia. A tendency to anemia, or bloodlessness, shown by most neurasthenic patients, is also corrected by these tonic pills. Your own druggist sells Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

Two useful books "Diseases of the Nervous System" and "What to Eat and How to Eat" will be sent free by the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y., if you mention this paper.

COLD GONE! HEAD CLEAR AND NOSE OPEN—IT'S FINE

Take "Pape's Cold Compound" every two hours until you have taken three doses and all grippe misery goes and your cold will be broken. It promptly opens your clogged-up nostrils and the air passages of the head; stops nasal discharge or nose running; relieves the headache, dullness, feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, soreness and stiffness.

Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and snuffling! Ease your throbbing head—nothing else in the world gives such prompt relief as "Pape's Cold Compound", which costs only 25 cents at any drug store. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, and causes no inconvenience. Accept no substitute.

RIVER NEWS

Portsmouth, O., March 15, 1915. (75th Meridian Times.)
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	Flood stage Feet.	Height of river Feet.	Fall last report.	Change since last report.	Precipitation last 24 hours inches.
Franklin	15	1.9 F	-0.2	.00	
Greensboro	18	7.2 F	-1.0	.00	
Pittsburgh	22	2.5 F	-0.7	.00	
Wheeling	36	6.6 F	-0.4	.00	
Zanesville	25	9.2 F	-0.4	.00	
Parkersb'g	36	8.6 F	-0.3	.00	
Charleston	30	5.7 F	-0.6	.00	
Pt Pleasant	39	9.2 F	-0.8	.00	
Catlettsb'g	50	13.7 F	-1.1	.00	
Portsmouth	50	14.4 F	-1.0	.00	
Cincinnati	50	17.0 F	-0.4	.04	

FORECAST

Unsettled over upper Ohio valley tonight and Tuesday probably rain in northern portion.

River will fall slowly.

H. C. DONNALLEY,
River Observer.

The Ohio river was 14.4 ft. and falling here Monday morning.

Tuesday's packet departures: Str. Greendale for Cincinnati at 6 a. m. Str. Klondike for Rome at 2 p. m. Str. Greyhound for Huntington at 3 p. m. Str. Courier for Pomeroy at 3 p. m.

Orchard Demonstration.

A practical orchard demonstration in pruning and spraying will be given at the home of John White, 3 miles north of Otway, commencing at one o'clock, Mar. 23.

Every one interested in this work is urged to attend. A representative of the Ohio Agricultural Commission will conduct the demonstration. Bring specimens of injury for identification.

To Give Social.

A house social will be given at the parsonage of Pleasant Green church, Tuesday evening, March 16th. The menu will be baked chicken, spaghetti, escalloped potatoes, hot rolls, coffee, ice cream and cake.

Speeders, Beware

With the advent of favorable weather for automobile, driving the police have received orders to exercise vigilance against speeding particularly in the outlying districts.

Has Old Position

Walter James of Cincinnati, has returned to Portsmouth and has taken his old position in the plant of the Whittaker-Glessner company.

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GANG OF FOUR BREAKS INTO McDERMOTT STORE

Four unknown men forced an entrance into the Arthur Thompson general store at McDermott early Sunday morning and made their getaway with loot valued at $100. Over $60 worth of shoes alone were taken, in addition to clothing, underwear and one "Daisy" cheese, weighing fifteen pounds.

The robbery was discovered between 3:30 and 4 o'clock Sunday morning by Charles Jones, a young man of McDermott, who was returning home from a visit to another part of the county. He saw the four men come out of the store as he drove by. He immediately notified the owner, who made a hurried investigation.

Entrance to the store was gained by "jimmying" the front door, which was badly damaged. Mr. Thompson at once notified the county authorities.

Sheriff Smith and his deputy, Rome Arthur, left at once for the scene, taking with them the large blood hound belonging to Roy Lynn of this city. The hound took up the scent at the front door and traced the robbers as far as Rushtown, where the trail was lost. The sheriff and his deputy worked for some time on the case, but were unable to strike a tangible clue. It was the opinion of the officers and Mr. Thompson that the work was done by home talent.

ST. PATRICK SOCIAL

Members of the Central Presbyterian church will be entertained Tuesday evening with a "St. Patrick's Day" social at the Skelton home on Ninth street, between Chillicothe and Gay streets. The hosts will be the members of the Ladies' Bible class. The guests are urged to appear in costumes appropriate to the occasion.

COMMUNION POSTPONED

St. Joseph's Court No. 1221, Catholic Order of Foresters at a called meeting Sunday afternoon decided to postpone its Easter communion from March 21 to April 18, on account of Forty Hours devotion commencing at St. Mary's church on the former date.

FEAST DAY FOR PRISONERS

The prisoners at the city police station were treated to a pot roast, by Turnkey Joe Stokley Monday noon. Joe "borrowed" a three pound chunk of beef somewhere and had Mrs. W. E. Gault to prepare it, she kindly adding some potatoes when Joe assured her such things were strangers in his commissary.

MINISTER IN NEED

Rev. G. A. Diamond, who is conducting services at the Front Street Free Will Baptist church is doing splendid work. There have been many conversions since he took up preaching at the little church. Rev. Diamond is bringing many to the fold and the attendance at the meetings is increasing nightly. He is struggling against odds to give the people his best teachings. Several nights ago he had to break off his sermon as he was too weak to continue. Members of the congregation are lending their help but other help, outside of the fold is needed. Several of the most interested members have invited help and those of the christian field are asked to lend a helping hand in the way of small contributions which go to meet the expenses. Rev. Diamond is entitled to more than the small contributions taken at the different meetings. All help will be greatly appreciated.

ONE INTERESTED.

Panther Patrol

The Panther Patrol of the Kendall Avenue Scouts will meet at 7 o'clock tonight at the home of the patrol leader, Harry Lewis, on Kendall avenue. All of the patrol is urged to be present.

RICHARD BOYD,
Scribe.

Woodmen Meeting

The regular weekly meeting of the Modern Woodmen of America was held Friday evening, with only routine business up for discussion.

Granted Divorce

John Virgin was awarded a decree of divorce in common pleas court Monday from his wife, Nina Virgin, on his answer and cross-petition alleging adultery and neglect of duty. The wife's petition was dismissed. Millar and Micklethwait represented the husband and Blair and Kimble the wife.

Complain Of "Rock Throwers"

Officer B. E. Allen was detailed to investigate a complaint about boys recklessly throwing rocks in the vicinity of Moore's grocery at Fourteenth and Waller streets, Monday morning.

Will Move

Mrs. Sarah Rose and daughter Madelin, will move Tuesday from 1832 Eleventh street to 1658 Seventh street.

STOMACH UPSET?
Get At the Real Cause—Take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets

That's what thousands of stomach sufferers are doing now, instead of taking tonics, or trying to live on a poor diet, they are attacking the real cause of the ailment—clogged liver and disordered bowels.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets arouse the liver in a soothing, healing way. When the liver and bowels are performing their natural functions, away goes indigestion and stomach troubles.

If you have a bad taste in your mouth, tongue coated, appetite poor, lazy, don't care feeling, no ambition or energy, troubled with undigested food, you should take Olive Tablets, the substitute for calomel.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are a purely vegetable compound mixed with olive oil. You will know them by their olive color. They do the work without griping, cramps or pain.

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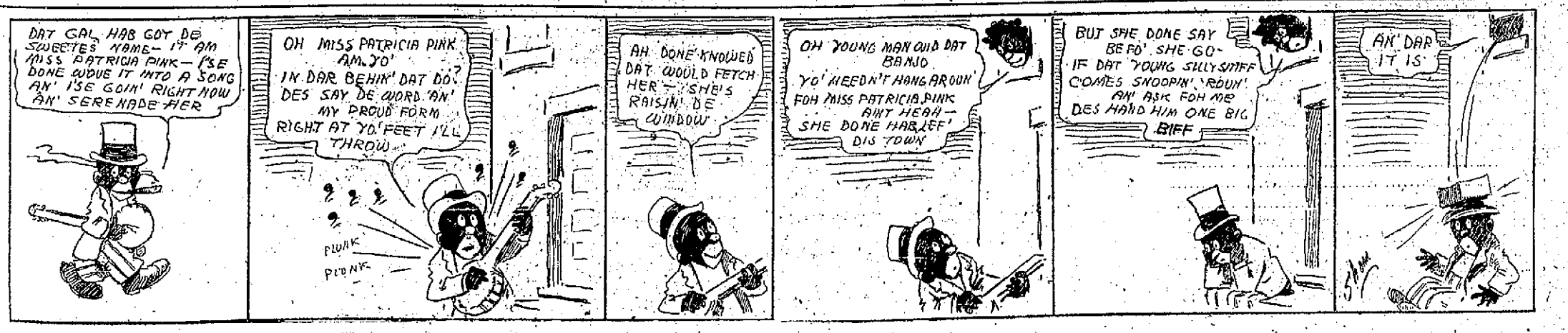

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Miss Dolly Wise

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Miss Dolly Wise.—I am coming to you for advise and I am sure you will advise me right. I am eighteen years old, weigh 126 pounds. I am a bride of three months. I am very happy but my husband and I fuss a good bit because I don't have lemon pie every meal. I sometimes don't get time to bake in the morning so he goes on at a fine clip. A wife of course should fix what her husband wants, but I don't think it necessary to have pie every meal. Especially one kind. Do you think so? We also keep his aged mother whom I love dearly and treat her as good a can be. She loves me and does not like to hear the son treat me that way. He sassed his mother and threatened to smack her, so I just biffed him one under the chin and knocked him down. He was very angry for a while and so was I. We both laughed about it afterwards and kissed and made up. Did I do right? He weighs 192 1-2 pounds. POLLY.

I think you are perfectly able to take care of yourself, Polly without any advice from me. About the lemon pies, I would certainly give him all he could eat. It isn't necessary however to make them all the time. Go to the store and buy them ready baked. Have them on the table for breakfast, dinner and supper until he gets sick of 'em.

Dear Dolly.—What is good to polish brass that will not scratch? SUBSCRIBER.

To polish brass use soda and warm water and rub briskly with a woolen cloth.

Dear Dolly.—We are two girls of 15. Why is it, when we go down street the boys all stare at us? We do not wear attractive clothes? CHUMS.

Girls who carry themselves in a ladylike way are not stared at.

Dear Dolly.—What would be a nice present for a lady of 65? A FRIEND.

A knotted shoulder caper, a potted plant, a book or a footstool.

Dear Dolly.—Do you think it proper for our boy friends to walk home from school with us? We are 14. SCHOOL GIRLS.

There is nothing improper about it, but it is very poor practice for girls of your age because it fills your minds with nonsense.

Dear Miss Wise.—I am a girl 15 years old and weigh 155 pounds. Do you think that is too much? I am 5 feet 6 inches tall, have a dark complexion, black hair, black eyes. Would you please tell me what kind of a dress would be nice for an Easter dress? Some shade that would become me, the kind of goods to get and suggest a pretty way for it to be made. What kind of a hat would you advise me to get for early spring wear? Please do not say to me have your mother to select you a dress, as mamma and I are of two opinions and we are going to leave it to you. How is my writing and spelling? What will take ink stains out of a Belgian blue storm serge skirt? ISABEL.

Why not get the color you like best. There are many different shades of blue that you could wear nicely, or you might get a shepherd's check suit. Then too, you could get a dress and a light weight spring coat, instead of a suit. Would advise you to visit the local stores and look over their line of suits, and dress goods. I can't tell you what kind of a hat to get without seeing you. If you come down some afternoon about 4:15 o'clock I'll go with you to select your hat. Your writing is too small to look nice. Your spelling is good. Did you try turpentine or ammonia on the ink spot?

Dear Dolly.—Is it proper for a boy and girl to stand on the street and talk? JIM.

A boy should not detain a girl on the street in a long conversation. He should ask her permission to walk with her in the direction she is going, if he desires to talk.

Dear Dolly.—How much time should a girl have to prepare her trousseau? ELIZABETH.

Everything needed for a trousseau can be bought outright in the shops today, so there is no need of a girl spending a great deal of time and wearing herself out to prepare one. It should contain a suit for general wear and for traveling, and a wash silk waist. There should be a dress for visiting and evening entertainments, two or three gingham morning dresses, several waists, a kimona, shoes, hats and gloves. Other needful things are from four to six sets of muslin underclothing, lisle vests, a corset and covers, two white skirts; a serge skirt, stockings and handkerchiefs at discretion.

Dear Dolly.—I have had a cold and cough all winter, and I cannot get rid of it. I am so susceptible to colds at times when I am almost over one I catch another. I have taken all kinds of extensively advertised cures and medicine from the doctor, but the cough still clings. I do not cough continually; never at night; and mostly in the morning after rising. I am well physically, feel good, have a good appetite, and red cheeks. What shall I do, as I am getting uneasy about the cough? WORRIED KID.

Consult another doctor at once. colds are a great drain on the system, and the utmost care should be taken to prevent them.

Dear Miss Wise.—I am a sophomore at high school, and am up in my studies. But for some reason I can make no personal friends. The students do not take interest in what I say. Could you tell me what might be the trouble? I do not care to be popular, but just want to make friends, and be able to have a good time in the evenings once in a while. SOPH.

Be sure that your person is always neat. Find out the hobbies of individuals whom you like, and start the talking about them. If you failed as a conversationalist, try being an attentive listener. Listeners are usually as well liked as good talkers.

Inquisitive From Sciotoville—I believe I would have let him go. That was just a starter. The next time he'll do more when he sees you don't care very much. This time, I don't think he cares very much for you; if he did he would not have acted the way he did. Beware of such men.

Times Service Pattern 1211

1211. Dress for Misses and Ladies.

Consisting of an Over Dress in "Chemise" Style and an Underdress having a Waist cut with Body and Sleeve in one and joined to a Two Piece Skirt.

Many types of this style are now in vogue, all of which are especially suited to slender figures. The style here shown is distinctively smart, and may be worn over any guimpe or waist and skirt, that harmonizes with the model. As here shown, white crepe was used with satin for the underwaist and the part of the skirt below the tunic portion of the overdress. Braiding in self color forms a pretty trimming. The simplicity of this design, and its easy development, will at once recommend it. It will be attractive in velvet, serge or a combination of serge and charmeuse. Net or lace could be used for the underwaist is preferred. For linen, and batiste this model is also good. It is cut in 4 sizes: 14, 16, 17 and 18 years, for Misses, and in 4 sizes for Ladies, 36, 38, 40 and 42 inches bust measure. It requires for a 16 year size, 3¾ yards of 44-inch material for the Overdress, and 5¾ yards of 27-inch material for the underdress. For a 36-inch size, it requires 3⅞ yards of 44-inch material for the overdress and 6½ yards of 27-inch material for the underdress.

A pattern of this illustration mailed to any address on receipt of 10c in silver or stamps.

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SOCIETY

The T. J. N. Club met Saturday afternoon at the home of Miss Alma Diener, on Third street, where the afternoon was spent in sewing and crocheting. The hostess served delicious refreshments. The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Bernadine Streuber.

The Central W. C. T. U. will meet Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. J. J. Davidson, on Fourth street, where prayers will be offered for the success of the coming revival at the Trinity Methodist church. Mrs. J. P. Smith will be in charge of the devotions, after which a business session will follow.

Thursday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock, the Woman's Mission Circle of the First Baptist church will meet at the home of Mrs. John Sowers, of Lincoln Hill, who will be assisted by Mrs. Yoley and Mrs. Schaefer. A large attendance is desired, as there will be an apron and bake sale.

Mrs. William McCurdy's class of Trinity Methodist Sunday school will be entertained Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. T. C. Beatty, who will be assisted by Mesdames Frank Appel, Claude Bradford, Myra Bradford, Ball, Arthurs, Brentgardner and Henry Becker.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Keller, of Third street, are at home from Columbus, where they took their daughter, Anna Louise, to be operated upon for the removal of adenoids and tonsils by a specialist, Dr. Brown. She is recovering nicely from the operation.

A most enjoyable evening was spent Friday at the home of Mr. Ed Williams, at Long Meadow, in honor of his birthday anniversary. A large crowd assembled at his home and spent the evening in games and music, after which refreshments were served. Music was rendered by Miss Evelyn Edgington on the piano, accompanied by Mr. Will Reese on the violin. Those present were Messrs. Orin Edgington, Tom Buckley, Roy Pyles, Calvin Stiles, Walter and Harry Ach, Mr. V. Partee, Ned Williams, Will Reese, Pearl Allen, Fred Fisher and John Spray; Mesdames Evelyn Edgington, Nell Elterling, Dora Adkins, Agnes Adkins, Blanch Coriell, Bertha Allard, Mrs. V. Partee and children, Mrs. Will Reese, Mrs. Ed Williams.

The Woman's Home Missionary Reading Circle of Trinity Methodist church will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John T. Breece, on Eighth street.

Misses Mary and Mildred Purdum will go to Columbus the last of this week to visit relatives, and Miss Mildred will go over to Delaware to spend a few days with Miss Erma Jenkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Willey have purchased a new two passenger Buick, which was delivered Saturday. The car is a very pretty one, of chocolate color.

Mr. Charles Kratzenberger visited relatives in Portsmouth yesterday.

On account of the death of Mr. Henry Smith, the Irish Patriotic entertainment to be given by the Second Presbyterian Westminster Circle is postponed from Tuesday, March 16th, until Tuesday evening, March 23rd.

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Mr. Samuel Timmonds is coming soon from New York to attend to business and will be joined later by Mrs. Timmonds and Miss Marie Ware, as soon as school is out.

Mrs. Robert Bryan and daughter, Ruth, will go to Cincinnati, Thursday to visit Miss Mary Bryan and Mrs. E. E. Knox.

An important meeting of the Bigelow Methodist Ladies' Aid Society will be held at the church Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Forest Williams, who is home for his spring vacation from University School, Cleveland, will remain until April first.

Mrs. Richard Workman, of Ninth street, who has been quite ill with the grip, is much better.

Miss Helen Haldeman will come home the last of the month from Dana Hall, Wellesley, Mass., for her spring vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. David Stahler motored to Waverly yesterday to spend the day with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Reinfrank, daughter Doris, and Mr. Roy Reinfrank left this afternoon for Charleston, W. Va., to attend the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Henry Eastwood.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bauer are at home from a visit to Martinsville, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Lutz and family motored to Ironton yesterday.

Misses Emma Addis and Phoebe Throckmorton entertained at flinch Friday evening Mr. Frank Gasele, Misses Gladys and Louise Gasele.

Mrs. Mary Hubbard, of Waller street, has been quite ill with the grip.

Miss Mary Varner left today to visit among relatives and friends in Cincinnati.

Misses Marjorie and Erma Jenkins will come home from O. W. U., Delaware, March 24th, to visit their mother, Mrs. Hattie Jenkins, during their spring vacation.

Mrs. Etta Cockerell is in charge of the organ at the German Evangelical church since Mrs. Wickerham resigned.

The Sunday school board of the First Baptist church will hold an important meeting this evening in the church. The official board of the church will also meet this evening.

Mrs. John Peebles will entertain with a luncheon Wednesday, at one o'clock, for the pleasure of her guest, Mrs. B. B. Allen, of Nashville, Tenn.

Miss Marie Bauer came home Saturday from Sweetbrier School, Virginia, for her spring vacation.

Mrs. J. M. Graham and Mrs. Chris Heer will entertain the Asbury class of Bigelow Methodist church Thursday afternoon at Mrs. Graham's home on Washington street.

The D. M. T. held an enjoyable meeting Friday night at the home of Harold Byron, on Timmonds avenue. Eighteen members and guests were present. Games and music were followed by refreshments. James Breece will be host at the next meeting.

Mrs. L. C. Ayres, of Hutchins street, has gone to Bluefield, W. Va., for a week end visit with Mr. Ayres.

Judge James S. Thomas spent Sunday with his father, who lives near Peebles, and who is in failing health.

Mrs. Carrie Hyatt, of Highland avenue, entertained at six o'clock dinner Friday Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Zirkle, of Norfolk, Va., Misses Emma and Bessie Butcher and Miss Pauline Armbrust of Seventh street.

Miss Mary Williams has as guest Miss Clara Bell Callahan, of Huntington, W. Va.

The following announcement has been issued:

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Queen announce the marriage of their daughter,
Helen Marie,
to
Mr. Harry N. Robinson,
Wednesday, the tenth day of March, nineteen hundred and fifteen,
Kirkville, Ky.

The many friends of the contracting parties will be surprised to learn of their marriage, which occurred at Catlettsburg, Ky., last Wednesday afternoon. The ceremony, a most beautiful and impressive one, was performed by Rev. Gatlin, of the Baptist church of that place and was witnessed by Miss Martha Bello Binger, W. B. Evans and Geo. Cantley.

The bride who is the handsome and only daughter of Mr. John C. Queen, a well-to-do merchant of Kirkville, Ky., and never looked more beautiful than on her wedding day. She made her marriage vows in a beautiful suit of a pretty shade of putty, with hat and gloves to match.

The groom is an ambitious and energetic young man with business qualifications, holding a responsible position with The Sheridan-Kirk Contract Co. at Dam No. 31, on the Ohio river, and is in every way worthy of his charming bride.

Mr. and Mrs. Robinson returned to Kirkville yesterday on No. 3 and were given a most hearty welcome at the beautiful and cosy country home of the bride, where a seven course dinner was served to the most intimate friends and imparty. They were the recipients of many beautiful and useful presents.

They will go to housekeeping immediately in their home already furnished. The young couple have a host of friends, who join in wishing them a long and happy married life.

Miss Columbia Glockner has taken her former position as assistant head trimmer in the millinery department of Marting Bros.' store.

Mrs. Harry Eichorn and little son Harold, of John street, who have been visiting Mrs. Eichorn's father, Mr. N. F. Williams at Hamilton, the past week, returned home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Gobleman and two daughters, Nelle and Esther, went to Waverly Sunday afternoon for a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. Philip Gobleman, returning at midnight.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Heisel have returned from their honeymoon and for the present will reside with the bridegroom's mother, Mrs. Henry Heisel, of Harvard Place. They are being kept busy receiving the congratulations of their many friends.

W. A. Pepper, proprietor of the One to Twenty-five Cent Store on Chillicothe street, entertained his brother, Frank Pepper of Cleveland, Saturday and Sunday.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. George Schmid, of Munn's Run, was recently the scene of a delightful party, when they entertained in honor of the birthdays of Mrs. George Schmid, Mrs. Elmer Moritz, Mr. Philip Moore and Mr. Leslie Everling. The evening was spent in games and music. The music was furnished by Mr. R. P. Seiler, Mrs. Elmer Moritz, Messrs. Albert Schmid and Oscar Seiler. Many vocal selections were also rendered. Before going to their homes at a late hour the guests were served with an elegant supper. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Seiler, Mr. and Mrs. Osborn, Mr. and Mrs. Boone McRoberts, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Devers, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Schmid, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schmid and two sons, Earl and Raymond, Mrs. John Koenig, Mrs. Martha Scherer, Mrs. J. M. Alexander, Mrs. John Bahner, Mrs. George Koenig, Mrs. Elmer Moritz, Miss Clara Steubler, Miss Emma Schmid, Messrs. James Thompson, Fred Koenig, Clay Scherer, Charles Steubley, John Newman, Vance Bahner, Earl Bahner, Leslie Everling, Gilbert Everling, Oscar Seiler, Albert Schmid, Carl Schmid and Edwin Schmid.

Mrs. Charles W. Kelner, of Covington, Ky., is visiting Mrs. Charles Thompson, of Seventh and Market streets, and other relatives.

Miss Hazel Marks, of Sciotoville, returned Sunday evening from Kenova, where she visited Miss Irene Thompson.

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Mrs. Irel Anderson and Mrs. Roy Coburn have returned from a visit with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Smith Sherborne, of Lucasville.

Mr. and Mrs. Steven Williams, of Maysville, are the guests of Portsmouth relatives and friends.

Mr. J. B. Gifford, of Rome, Adams county, is the guest of Portsmouth relatives and friends.

Mrs. Anna Cook, of Scott street, entertained at dinner Saturday in honor of her birthday Mrs. John McFarland, Mrs. James Cofer and daughters, Miss Bess and Mrs. Sikes, and Mrs. Raymond Rose and daughter, Bertha, of Haverhill. The table was beautifully decorated with pink roses and the favors were dainty pink and white crocheted baskets filled with candy.

Dr. J. W. Watts, of Columbus, is here visiting his sister, Mrs. Margaret Geist, of Sciotoville. Dr. Watts is a son of the late Dr. Wm. M. Watts, of South Webster, and is an old practitioner, graduating from the Ohio Medical College, Cincinnati, in the class with Dr. Haldeman, Dr. Jno. W. Crawford, Dr. Geo. Marshall, of this city, and Dr. Andre, of Waverly.

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The surest way to clear the skin of these eruptions, says a noted authority, is to get from any pharmacy about four ounces of Jad Salts and take a tablespoonful in a glass of hot water each morning before breakfast for one week. This will prevent the formation of toxins in the bowels. It also stimulates the kidneys to normal activity, thus causing them to filter the blood of impurities and clearing the skin of pimples.

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Sons Of Veterans Will Hold District Meeting Here In April

Vienna Camp, Sons of Veterans has planned for a big district meeting and camp fire in which all the camps of the fourth district of Ohio Division, comprising the counties of Scioto, Pike and Lawrence will participate, and the G. A. R. and W. R. C. will be honored guests of Vienna and their splendid ladies' auxiliary.

Many notables in the order of Sons of Veterans will be here. Senior Vice Commander-in-chief Hon. Wm. F. Chambers, and National Councellor Hon. Wm. M. Collin, of Cincinnati, have promised to attend. Division Commander T. L. Aughinbaugh, of New Philadelphia, Senior Vice Commander T. L. Long of Dayton, Division Secretary J. Edgar Shiery of Springfield and other members of the staff will be here, while many other notables have been invited and almost all are expected to attend.

For the auxiliary Mrs. Katherine J. Reese, division president, and several members of her staff from Mt. Vernon, have promised to attend, and there will be delegations from the auxiliaries of every camp in the district.

The date selected is the third Friday evening in April. This night was chosen to accommodate the country people, as they can come to the meeting for that evening, do their shopping on Saturday and return home. Others particularly the lawyer contingent also asked for that evening.

The entertainment committee named to have charge of the affair is Harry M. Sickles, Dr. O. D. Donaldson and Charles C. Bennett and they "are on the job," getting in touch with all the "live wires" in the district, and working to make it the biggest event held by the Sons of Veterans in this district in a generation every live member of Vienna is back of the committee, ready and willing to "boost," and several sub-committees will be named later to assist with details. The president of the auxiliary, Mrs. Libbie Eichorn, will also appoint a committee of the ladies at their meeting next Friday evening to act with the camp committee.

The national and division officers will be entertained at the homes of prominent members of the camp during their stay in the city. Judge T. C. Beatty, Prof. S. D. Eckhart, J. J. Van Gorder and others have already asked for assignment to their homes. Mrs. Reese and members of her staff will be entertained by the ladies of the auxiliary.

The auxiliary is also enthused over the proposed big meeting and can be depended upon to do their part. They are hard at work. At their meeting Friday evening in Selby (G. A. R.) hall a class of fifteen or twenty new members will be taken into the auxiliary. Among the ladies coming in at this meeting are Mrs. Harry W. Mathiott, Mrs. Clarence Johnson, Mrs. Don H. Jewell, Mrs. J. H. Fulton and Mrs. W. B. Rohe.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH NOTES

Section one of the Woman's Union will meet at the church Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock.

Class No. 3 will meet with Mrs. Parker, 1017 Front street, Thursday evening at 7 o'clock.

Section No. 5 will meet with Mrs. Ayers, 1806 Hutchins street, Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Topic: "Character Studies of Jesus—His Indignation." Leader, G. W. Edwards.

Section No. 2 will meet at the home of Mrs. George Edwards, 1240 Third street, Thursday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

Financial rally day has been changed from Easter Sunday to Sunday, March 28.

While it is hoped that all will pay cash on that day, nevertheless pledges to be paid on Easter Sunday will be taken. About $400 will be needed to pay debts for current expenses. It is hoped to make this day one of the happiest in the history of the congregation and no doubt the debt will be entirely wiped out.

Regular monthly meeting of the Men's Union will be held at the church Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. P. J. Reinhard, special secretary of the Y. M. C. A. will give a talk. All members are urged to be present.

C. I. Cheyney, Pres.
Gilbert Dodds, Sec.

Band practice at the church Monday night.

The members of John Ault's class will meet at the home of the teacher 1223 Summit street Thursday evening, March 18. All members urged to be present.

Section three of the Woman's Union will meet at the home of Mrs. F. W. Sheridan, 809 John street Thursday afternoon at two o'clock. Regular monthly social meeting. Mrs. Will Evans will be assistant hostess. Arrangements have been made for the entertainment of fifty or more members.

Section Four will meet Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Millie Black.

The Loyal Men's class will meet at the church Friday evening at 7:15 o'clock. Let every member try and be present for much work will be done and the co-operation of all is needed.

Funeral Tuesday

The remains of Mrs. Henry Scott colored who died in Chicago will arrive here over the N. & W Tuesday noon, according to a telegram received from her sister, Mrs. Frank White by Undertaker Daehler, Monday. The remains will be taken directly from the train to Greenlawn cemetery where friends will be permitted to view them.

Hearing Continued

The hearing of James Seth for alleged disorderly conduct and provoking an assault, preferred by Angus Bryant, was continued until Tuesday. The young men had an encounter on Lawson street Saturday night.

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Rev. Crayton Brooks Closes His Pastorate

Rev. Crayton S. Brooks, who closed his three and one-half years' pastorate at the First Christian church, Sunday night, left Monday morning for Alliance, where he will begin a three weeks' religious campaign tonight, assisted by Prof. Theopolis E. Fitz, who will have charge of the singing and music.

Rev. Brooks, whose pastorate here was eminently successful, delivered his farewell sermon Sunday morning. He took occasion to thank the membership for the loyalty displayed and stated that while the church had been up against quite a number of obstacles, such as floods and strikes, that the progress was eminently satisfactory. He cautioned his people to extend to his successor, Rev. Charles R. Oakley, of Mansfield, who will assume charge here on April 18, whole hearted support. He was especially solicitous for Rev. Oakley's success, giving that gentleman a most whole hearted commendation and expressed the belief that he was the very man most needed. At the close of his address Rev. Brooks stated that to make a minister's administration successful in the highest sense of the word it was absolutely necessary that he be accorded whole hearted support by his parishoners. "The two or three who pull against the majority are the ones who add to the trials of a minister and always brings discord, where peace and contentment should reign." Continuing Rev. Brooks said "No pastor, no matter how strong he may be, no matter how perfect he may be he can accomplish little without the unanimous support of his people."

At the evening service, Rev. Brooks was greeted by a magnificent audience, one of the largest of the year. He scarcely referred to his leaving, but at the close of his eloquent discourse, he held an informal reception, every person present shaking him heartily by the hand and expressing their deep regret over his leaving. Rev. Brooks enters upon his evangelistic work with the unanimous good wishes of the members. He is without a doubt one of the biggest ministers that ever worked in Portsmouth, a man who stood high with his brother ministers, a pulpit orator of much strength and withal a clean cut Christian gentleman—a citizen of worth and character.

From Alliance he will go to Cleveland and from there to Salem, Oregon. His friends here will be pleased to know that he will make Portsmouth his home, and this means that he will be seen in the local pulpit on numerous occasions.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Splendid services were held at the First Baptist church Sunday, the members turning out in force to welcome home the pastor, Rev. T. H. McAfee, who has been holding a revival at Mt. Vernon.

The morning and evening services were both largely attended and two were baptized in the morning. The singing by the congregation in the evening was especially inspiring.

The Young People's work is taking on new life, and the pastor says he "never attended a more inspiring meeting of young people than those held in this church."

There will be a meeting of the official board of the church and of the Sunday school board tonight at the church.

Regular prayer service Wednesday evenings, followed by the teachers' union meeting.

The Ladies Mission Circle meets Thursday at 2 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Sowers on Lincoln street, when a bake and apron sale will be held. A big attendance is urged.

The pastor will preach next Sunday night on "The Second Chance," or "Salvation After Death."

The men and boys of the First Baptist Sunday school did not turn out as strong as they did a week ago. There were only 152 men and boys against 169 women and girls. One fact was brought out and that is that men are strong on rainy days as the only two Sundays the men won were rainy days. There are but two Sundays left for this friendly contest and as Dr. T. H. McAfee said, the men had better pray for rain if they wish to overtake the lead of 83 points the women have.

The attendance yesterday was as follows:

Ladies over the age of 18	94
Girls below the age of 18	75
Men over the age of 21	87
Boys under the age of 21	65
Total	321

Brother L. G. Heiniger having resigned as captain of the men owing to his orders to close the local recruiting station and proceed to Huntington, W. Va., in his stead Supt. James Yeley appointed Ed Schuler as captain of the men.

The office of secretary of Men's Bible class vacated by L. G. Heiniger was tendered to Barney Donley. The men of the class gave Bro. Heiniger a rising vote of thanks for his service as secretary. While the entire Sunday extended him the Chautauqua salute in recognition of work with the school and his regular attendance, he not having missed a Sunday since he joined the men's class the first Sunday of January 1914.

Rev. Elsea Preached

Rev. Samuel Elsea, of South Webster, occupied the pulpit at the Harrisonville M. E. church Sunday evening.

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Gets Car Of Flour

Fred W. Jansen, of the Great Western Tea and Grocery Co., announced Monday that he had received a car of "Competition" flour, a brand that has created a great field in Portsmouth during the past four weeks, or since Mr. Jansen secured the agency for the same. This makes the fourth car that Mr. Jansen has received in the last month and he is more than pleased with the wonderful sale of this brand.

Will Give Concert

Concert and entertainment for the purpose of defraying expenses for the uniforms of the degree team will be held by the degree team and official board of the Ben Hurs on March 23rd.

Unclaimed Mail

Unclaimed mail matter, Portsmouth, Ohio, March 8, 1915:

Gentlemen—Joe Bowman, Robt. Buckler, Tony Combs, R. D. Dean, Rafe Evans, Louis O. Fields, L. B. Hale, J. C. Hankla, Walter Herles, Jacob Lawrence, Hurley F. Mercer, J. A. Overstreet, Wilfer Ratcliff, James Roberts, C. W. Semones, Willis Skelton, Ben Widyn, John F. Williams, Henry D. Willoughby.

Ladies—Margaret Alexander, Mrs. Eula Benson, Miss Myrta Cook, Miss Julia Griffin, Mrs. Eva Hardesty, Mrs. Claria Price, Mrs. Sarah F. Sprowle, Miss Marguerite Tackett, Miss Jessie Thomas, Mrs. Vince Wallace.

Parcel Post—Mrs. Anna Smith, Louis T. Spencer.

VALLEE HAROLD, Postmaster.

Council To Hear Report

The city council Wednesday night will probably be asked to hold an adjourned session the following afternoon to receive the report of the recent probe, and to appropriate the money to pay for it.

DELEGATES NAMED

The Home Rule League held a well-attended meeting in their quarters on Gallia street Sunday evening. Fifteen candidates were taken in and two delegates to the Home Rule League convention to be held in Columbus on April 25 were named. They are William Abrahams and George Klick. The Gusto Trio and Dixie orchestra have been secured to furnish music for the dance to be given in Wilhelmette on Easter Monday by this league.

Special Meetings.

Announcement was made by Rev. C. Lloyd Strecker, Sunday, that special services would start at Trinity M. E. church next Sunday evening and continue nightly, for a period of two weeks. The meetings will be in charge solely of Rev. Strecker.

See that Walters Plumbing Co. figures your contract. adv

LANDON MAKES CELEBRITIES LIVE IN MINDS OF AUDIENCE

"SIDNEY LANDON AND FOUR OF HIS SPEAKING LIKENESSES."

If the local Lyceum Committee was able to announce that dear old Mark Twain was to lecture here this season, or that Bill Nye of cherished memory, would raise his querulous voice in our midst, every business place in town would close; farmers would lock up their houses and barns; industries would suspend, to do them honor. So with a host of departed men of genius, whose works are cherished by their fellow countrymen. In preparing his entertainment, "Speaking Likenesses of Great Men," Sidney Landon has performed a noteworthy service to the American platform. Through Mr. Landon's interpretative art, men like Twain, Nye, Longfellow, Holmes, Robert E. Lee, Edgar Allan Poe and countless others, live again. By the use of wigs and grease paint, he gives his audiences visualization and impersonation of these men which is startling in its approach to nature. He completely loses his own personality, submerging self in the great character he portrays, and so complete is the illusion that the audience feels that Landon has indeed vanished, and the man he impersonates is present.

So, while unable to announce the actual appearance of departed celebrities, the Lyceum Committee takes pleasure in announcing that they are soon to appear here through the medium of Mr. Landon's art.

Sidney Landon of Lyceum fame will give an entertainment in the high school auditorium on Monday (tonight) as the eighth number of the High School lecture course. The program will begin promptly at eight o'clock.

53 MEMBERS TAKEN IN

R. J. Williams, of Columbus, has favored a Times attache with a marked copy of the State Journal, telling of the big meeting of Governor Dennison Camp Sons of Veterans last Wednesday evening, when 48 of a splendid class of 53 members were initiated into the order in a body. This fine class is the result of a four-weeks' campaign conducted by Mr. Williams and two other "live wires" of No. 1. In the class appear the names of W. M. Tomlinson, and Dr. E. H. Martindale, both of whom are well known here. Mr. Williams is the son-in-law of Capt. Creed Milstead. He is a Past Division Commander, Past National Patriotic Instructor, and is one of the leading members of the order.

Man Takes His Own Medicine Is An Optimist

He has absolute faith in his medicine—he knows when he takes it for certain ailments he gets relief. People who take Dr. King's New Discovery for an irritating Cold are optimists—they know this cough remedy will penetrate the linings of the throat, kill the germs, and open the way for Nature to act. You can't hurry a Cold by superficial treatment—you must go to the cause of the trouble. Be an optimist. Get a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery today.

Ladies Of Maccabees

The Ladies of the Maccabees will meet at the A. I. U. hall on Tuesday evening for important work and as the district deputy, Mrs. Mary Davison of Nelsonville will be here all members are urged to attend.

MAKE WORK EASIER

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LATEST IN SPORTDOM

K. C. Feds Decision Today

Chicago, March 15—Whether Kansas City will retain its franchise in the Federal league probably will be decided here today before Judge Baldwin in the circuit court.

Final arguments in the injunction proceedings by which the Kansas City club seeks to restrain the league from transferring its franchise to Newark, N. J., were to be presented by opposing counsel. Judge Baldwin, it was expected, would give a decision immediately after the closing of the argument.

CONNIE MACK IS CONFIDENT

Connie Mack's Athletics will be doing business at the old stand and expect to be at or near the top when the season ends next October. He thinks that hole left at second base, caused by the departure of Eddie Collins, will be plugged up, and the $100,000 infield minus its two greatest performers will almost equal the one of former years. Mack is not so sure that "Home Run" Baker will not guard third base. He believed, also, that he has found several recruit pitchers to take the places of Bender, Plank and Coombs.

SPORTLETS

Emmett Gain left Monday for Charleston, S. C.

Johnny Baggan continues to line out two and three hits in every game San Antonio plays.

A twenty-four-hour roller skating race will be pulled off in Madison Square Garden March 17 and 18.

Haskell Indians, of Lawrence, Kan., will play University of Chicago football team at Chicago on November 6 next.

Harvard University's lawn tennis courts netted $2,356 during the 1913-14 season.

Toledo will probably be awarded the 1916 American Bowling Congress tournament.

KNIFE HAS BEEN CLOSE FRIEND OF THE MINOR LEAGUE MAGNATE, SALARIES CUT

One writer has doped it out that salaries in the minor leagues this season will be cut to the quick and according to his idea will look something like this:

American Association, $250 to $275.
International league $250 to $275.
Pacific Coast league, $250 to $275.
Southern league, $225.
Western league, $225.
Class B leagues, $150 to $175.
Class C leagues, $125.
Class D league, $100.

Before the Federal leaguers arrived many stars from the majors who were slipping found employment in the three big minor leagues—the International, American Association and Pacific Coast. And many of them drew down as high as $50 per month. A $400-per-month salary was common in these three circuits.

But in 1914 these three leagues discovered they could not pay the high salaries and ring up with a profitable balance at the end of the season.

The knife has been the closest friend to the minor league magnate since last October.

WAHOO SAM IS SOME SLUGGER

Detroit, Mich., March 22—Another couple of seasons will find Detroit in possession of a slugger who will have charge of 3,000 major league base hits—it doesn't take any great amount of baseball knowledge to figure the athlete; there's only one Tiger to whom the honor could go, and that is "Sam" Crawford.

The big outfielding star has been with Detroit for 12 years; in the seasons of 1904 to 1914, inclusive, Crawford made 2,031 hits, an average of slightly better than 181 to a season. Crawford broke into major league baseball in 1899 as a member of the Cincinnati National League team. In about 30 games he made 32 hits.

JUST KEEP BOOSTING

Portsmouth fans were pleased to learn that Ironton's territory in a baseball way has been declared opened to organized baseball. This removes the last obstacle to place an Ohio State league team in that city this spring. There is no question but what if the Ironton fans cut out their umpire baiting and boost the management and its team baseball will thrive in Ironton like it should. The interest is there and the fans are well posted. What they should do is boost their team every day in the week. To keep a minor league team on its feet is to attend the games and second to boost, boost, boost.

Clash In Milwaukee

There will be a good fight staged in Fountown tomorrow night when Gunboat Smith and Jack Dillon collide in a ring in Milwaukee. Dillon is looking pretty big game as the thunder has a wallop in either hand and is likely to cut loose at any time. Dillon has been anxious for something to go after the so-called "white hopes."

Conwell Is Sure Of Job

According to a special sent from Waco to the Sporting News "Irish" Conwell's playing has made a big hit with the fans of that city and Conwell has practically clinched his job.

MATHEWSON IN SPLENDID SHAPE

While in a fanning bee the other day Christy Mathewson stated that he reported in better shape than he has been for two years. He claims to have had a touch of rheumatism last year and he was off his stride in 1913. Sounds funny, doesn't it, to hear of Matty being off color physicaplly speaking?

Stage Bout In Cincinnati

Slugging George Chip and Sailor Sczarnanski will be the principals in a ten round go in Cincinnati tonight. The sailor is a big favorite in the Queen City.

BENNY'S TEAM

(Cincinnati Enquirer)

Jack Benny, manager of Wiehe's All-Professionals, has announced that Jack Reis, of the St. Louis Feds, Joe Dashner and Jack Pheister, formerly of the Chicago Cubs will take care of the batting of the All-Pros.

HUGH FRANCIS CLAVIN.

An enterprising sporting writer has figured out that Hugh Francis Clavin (Young Erne) has been more active with his mitts than any other American pugilist. Erne has been fighting for fifteen years. He has mixed it up with seven champions of his class and has fought 600 times with would-be champs. The net result is earnings of $100,000, or an average of $800 a fight, which is better than the earnings of many magazine poets.

Bowlers Busy At Peoria

Peoria, Ills., March 15—Bowlers from Pittsburgh, Detroit and Cleveland took the alleys at the American Bowling Congress tournament today.

The Maxines of Detroit led the five men teams with 2,807. In the doubles S. F. Molers and W. Peters of Chicago led with 1,170.

In the singles L. Lallinger, of Chicago, tops the list with a score of 671. The mark set by Lallinger yesterday is within four points of the 1914 mark set by W. Miller, of Detroit.

Signs Many O. S. Players

Ray Ryan, who will manage the Rocky Mount team in the Virginia league will have nine former Ohio State league players on his team. He formerly played with Chillicothe and has signed the following O. S. players: Onostree, Tongue, Eisel, Applegate, Bittle, Daubert and Kelley.

Fight Game On The Blink

Now we hear that the fight game is on the blink in New York. The top notchers have only been drawing 2,000 and 3,000 fans whereas in the old days a pair of real arenic battlers would attract three times as many bugs. And the decrease in the attendance is in no small way due to the hulldozing methods of the promoters and money mad tendencies of the pugs.

BILLIARD TOURNAMENT

Chicago, March 15. Players in the world's champion three cushion billiard tournament entered on their second week of competition today having played 24 of the 56 games scheduled.

George Sutton of Chicago, was obliged to withdraw from the tournament because of illness. Lloyd Jones, of Salt Lake City, took Sutton's place. William Hoey, of Chicago, is leading the tournament with three straight victories.

IN FINE CONDITION

Mike Gonzalez has reported to Manager Herzog at Alexandria. He caught 50 games for the Havanas team during the winter and reports in fine condition he says.

BOUT IS OFF

Freddie Welsh wants so much money to fight Charley White 20 rounds at Denver that the promoters out there have given up all hope of putting on the bout.

NEW GYMNASIUM

The University of Indiana is to receive a new $150,000 gymnasium. Ground for it is to be broken shortly.

Special attention to repairs. Walters Plumbing Co. adv

POLICE NEWS

Martin Flack, who was accused of creating a disturbance at Hafer's boarding house, was dismissed in the mayor's court Monday. Hens Windel, Al Burris, Bill Kennedy and Charles Whitehead, a steelworker, were fined $5 each for intoxication.

Wants Copy Of Proceedings

A. C. Thomas, cashier of the Union Savings Bank and Trust Company, of Huntington, has written County Clerk McElhaney for a copy of the divorce proceedings and court's decree against Fred W. Worthington.

Back From Chicago

Henry A. Brodbeck, who had been in Chicago for fourteen weeks under the care of a specialist, is in the city visiting old friends. He will shortly return to the Windy City for additional treatment.

Delegates Are Chosen

Members of the Brewery Workers' Union at a meeting Sunday named Henry Kuhn and William Davis as delegates to the State Home Rule League convention, which will be held in Columbus on April 25.

Has Natal Day.

Police Officer Sanford Elack treated his fellow patrolmen to cigars Sunday in honor of his birthday anniversary. Sanford is going on in the even tenor of his way and making good as an officer.

George Morgan Here

George Morgan, formerly of this city, traveling for the Sandusky Brewing company, Cleveland, is here on a visit. He has completed a five weeks' trip through New York and Pennsylvania and reports business conditions favorable.

IRON CROSS FOR 38 WOMEN

Berlin, March 15.—Thirty-eight women, according to the Neue Politische Korrespondenz, have decorated with the Iron Cross, second class, up to the present time. Practically all of the feminine recipients of the coveted honor are nurses who have distinguished themselves for bravery at the front.

Exchanged Felicitations

Congratulatory messages have been exchanged by city officials and principals in the municipal probe.

Grading and Sodding

Luther Griffin has branched out into the grading and sodding business and has purchased a latest improved sod cutting machine.

WARWICK MAY LAND PLUM.

Washington, March 15—Walter W. Warwick, of Cincinnati, may be appointed Comptroller of the treasury.

George E. Downey, of Aurora, Ind., the present comptroller, is likely to be appointed a Justice of the United States Court of Claims to succeed Justice Charles Bowen Howry, who retired today.

Warwick is Deputy Comptroller and in line of promotion. He was prominently mentioned for Comptroller when Downey was appointed.

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WEAR CORNFLOWER BUT LOOK NEUTRAL

Chicago, March 15—Kaiser Wilhelm's favorite flower will bloom on thousands of men's coat lapels this Spring and Summer, was the prediction made by directors of the Society of American Florists and Ornamental Horticulturists, in their semi-annual convention. Not sympathy for the German cause, but the great advance in the popularity of the blue corn-flower throughout America is the reason for the predicted fad, the florists say.

With Kaiser Wilhelm the corn-flower is said to be associated as closely as was the carnation with President McKinley.

Spent Sunday Here.

J. E. Cross, state superintendent of printing, spent Sunday with his family in this city.

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Get a small bottle anyway, just to try it—Apply a little in the nostrils and instantly your clogged nose and stopped-up air passages of the head will open; you will breathe freely; dullness and headache disappear. By morning! the catarrh, cold-in-head or catarrhal sore throat will be gone.

End such misery now! Get the small bottle of "Ely's Cream Balm" at any drug store. This sweet, fragrant balm dissolves by the heat of the nostrils; penetrates and heals the inflamed, swollen membrane which lines the nose, head and throat; clears the air passages; stops nasty discharges and a feeling of cleansing, soothing relief comes immediately.

Don't lay awake to-night struggling for breath, with head stuffed; nostrils closed, hawking and blowing. Catarrh or a cold, with its running nose, foul mucous dropping into the throat, and raw dryness is distressing but truly needless.

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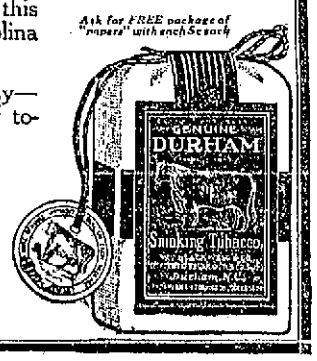

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OBITUARY

Baby Dies

Lowell, infant son of Harold Martin, Times composing room employee, and wife, died a few hours after birth, at their home No. 1233 Twelfth street, Sunday afternoon. Burial took place in Greenlawn cemetery Monday afternoon.

Mary Elizabeth VanBuskirk

Mary Elizabeth Beatty, daughter of Lee T., and Amy Beatty, was born in Scioto county, Ohio, February 21, 1856. She died in Westerville March 3, 1915, aged 59 years and ten days.

On June 28, 1885, she was united in marriage with John H. Webber. To this union was born a daughter, Carrie Louise, who survives.

On August 12, 1896, she was again united in marriage, this time with William H. VanBuskirk, who is left behind. For six years the family home has been in Westerville. For eleven years previous the home was in Portsmouth.

At the age of 16 Mrs. VanBuskirk united with the Presbyterian church. Later she became a member of the Baptist church, and she has always been a faithful Christian, as well as a good wife and mother.

Surviving Mrs. VanBuskirk, besides her husband and daughter, are one brother, J. D. Beatty, of Columbus, and two sisters, Mrs. Emma Shafer of Cincinnati, and Mrs. Sarah Edmunds, of Long Beach, California.

Walter Jones

News was received Monday of the death of Walter Jones, son of Captain W. B. Jones, formerly a resident of this city. Final summons came at Pittsburgh, paralysis being the direct cause of the death. He was thirty-one years of age. In his boyhood days the deceased resided in this city and attended Sunday school at All Saints' church. His mother was formerly Miss Cornelia Montgomery.

Mrs. John Cox of Summit street and Mrs. James P. Jack of the Chillicothe pike, are surviving cousins.

Charles Morton

Details of the cause of the death of Charles "Tod" Morton, which occurred Saturday morning at his home in Columbus, reached Portsmouth Sunday. The deceased had suffered since last Sunday with abscess of the ear, which grew steadily worse until blood-poisoning developed. At first it was thought that it was merely a boil, and while he suffered considerable pain, no uneasiness was felt over his condition.

He suffered terribly on Monday and Tuesday, and on Wednesday one of the best known specialists was called into the case. He told the family Friday that there was no hope for his recovery, but the family physician refused to give up, and he and nurse fought bravely for his life by using salt solutions and serum injections until the end came. His death was a terrible shock to his family.

Funeral services will be held at Columbus Monday afternoon, at three o'clock, after which the body will be taken to Cincinnati for burial Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Ella McGuire

Mrs. John Johnson, of New Boston, received word Monday morning of the death of her sister, Mrs. Ella McGuire, which occurred at her home at Rock Camp, Lawrence county, early this morning from tuberculosis. It is the fifth death in Mrs. Johnson's family in less than a year, two brothers, a brother-in-law, and her mother having preceded Mrs. McGuire to the grave since last July.

Miss Essie F. Moore

The funeral services of the late Miss Essie Fullerton Moore, daughter of Curtis and Edward Moore, who passed away Saturday were conducted Sunday afternoon from the Fullerton Christian church. The last rites of this sweet and lovable girl were conducted by the Rev. Mr. Plummer of Louisa, Ky., and interment was made at Mt. Zion. Miss Moore was a victim of heart trouble and her death occurred very suddenly. She had formerly worked in the Bell exchange in Fullerton and was a favorite with everybody, possessing a winning personality, which endeared her to many friends. Many floral tributes testified the esteem in which the deceased was held.

William Henry Smith

Funeral services of the late William Henry Smith were impressively conducted from the family residence, 1111 Gallia street at 3:30 Monday afternoon by Revs. John W. Dunning, assisted by the Rev. T. H. McAfee. Quite a number of Masons attended the last rites of this splendid citizen as Mr. Smith was a member of Aurora lodge No. 48 F. & A. M. of this city. Many beautiful floral tributes mutely testified the esteem in which Mr. Smith was held by his many friends. The pall bearers were Messrs. Irving Drew, W. W. Gates, Jr., Chas. E. Dowling, Lan Williams, Henry W. Heer and John B. Williams.

Were Locked Up

Walter and Dave Windle were locked up by Officer Joe Bonzo for provoking a fight with a colored man named Tinsley Monday afternoon.

Daniels & Higgins just received a fine dairy cow with heifer calf, that has been tested. Calf will be for sale. adv 15-1t

N. & W. Accedes.

The Norfolk & Western Railroad Company granted the application of the county commissioners to use a part of their right-of-way along the Chillicothe pike as a temporary road while the Chillicothe pike paving is being done, Monday.

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No individual graves, no funeral ceremonies, no tombstone or even a cross mark the graves of the fallen soldiers on Europe's battlefields. This picture was taken before the fortress of Przemysl after a furious attack upon the Austrian trenches in the vicinity by the Russian legions. The Austrians won the day and repulsed the invaders, but with heavy losses to themselves. After the battle the Austrian dead were gathered in a heap, a long trench was dug and the bodies thrown in. The regimental band struck up a mournful tune and the burial was complete.

WITH THE SICK

David Williams, who has been seriously ill for three weeks with pneumonia, was reported better Monday. He has been having a real battle as he suffered several slight relapses. It was stated Monday that he rested well Saturday and Sunday and had a good night last night.

Mrs. Margaret Sickles, of Gay street, who has been seriously ill with pluro-pneumonia the past two weeks, is much better, but still very weak. Mrs. Sickles wishes to thank the societies of her church, the United Brethren, the ladies of the W. R. C. and many friends who have sent beautiful flowers and plants to brighten her room during her illness. No one is admitted to the sick room but the immediate members of the family.

Mrs. George Gilden, of this city, underwent a surgical operation at Mount Carmel hospital in Columbus Saturday.

Louis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Finger of Fifth street, is recovering from an attack of pneumonia.

According to word Judge Beatty received from Athens and which was conveyed to John Bishop, aged Fifth street tailor, his son Emil Bishop, continues to show a slight improvement each day at the Athens hospital, where he was recently committed.

Mrs. John Miller, of Lick Run, who two months ago was operated upon in the Mt. Carmel hospital in Columbus, continues in a serious condition. She is the daughter of Mrs. Margaret Fuchs of 713 Fifth street, this city.

Prof. J. B. Schiffer, well known German music instructor and organist, continues dangerously ill with dropsy at the home of his son-in-law, Grocer Charles Harter of Eighth and Court streetts.

Miss Ethel Clutts, Wheelersburg school teacher, has suffered a general breakdown of health.

Miss Hazel Brown, daughter of John Brown, of Hales Creek, developed small pox Saturday. Fellow school pupils were exposed and all have been ordered vaccinated and it is likely that the school will be closed until all possible danger is passed.

Alice, 18-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Snyder of Wheelersburg, is seriously ill.

Miss Marguerite Kibbey who has been ill at her home on Third street for several months, is able to be out.

Fred Kuhner, general store owner at South Webster, suffered a second stroke of paralysis several days ago. Saturday he was reported resting easy.

Mrs. Mary Moore, of 729 Ninth street, was operated upon Saturday morning in the Hempstead hospital.

Mrs. Mary Nixon, of 847 Mill street, was discharged from the hospital Saturday.

Mrs. Lulu Lee, of 1209 Gallia street, and Mrs. Earl Bardin, were discharged from the hospital Saturday.

Anna Louise, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Keller, is getting along nicely from a recent surgical operation she underwent.

Mrs. James K. Thomas, of 547 Seventh street, is very ill and is under the care of a physician.

Dr. W. A. Quinn, who recently submitted to an operation performed in the Hempstead hospital, was slightly better Monday. He was not quite so well Sunday, but his general condition was reported better today.

Dr. S. P. Fetter's condition was reported unchanged Monday. He rested well Sunday and is in about the same condition as he has been for several days.

Mrs. A. Z. Blair of Rose Ridge will be operated upon in a few days for appendicitis and the operation will be performed in the Hempstead hospital.

Miss Gladys Blair, who has spent the winter in El Paso, will arrive home Tuesday to be present with her mother, when she is taken to the hospital. Miss Blair has completely recovered her health.

BIRTHS

A fine little son was born Sunday afternoon to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sparks of Twelfth street. Mr. Sparks is a shoeworker.

New Residents.

O. E. Vanmeter, employed as a book-keeper by L. Taylor & Son, has moved his family to this city.

LESSBURG

Mrs. Nancy Barrett was shopping in Hillsboro one day last week.

Miss Davis Ladd has been on the sick list, but is slowly improving.

The Ladies' Aid met with Mrs. Frank Huff Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morris were at Berrysville Friday and Saturday of last week.

Mr. Will Linn and family, of near Centerfield, have moved to their farm near Dodsonville.

Mrs. Grant Dodds, of near Bainbridge, was calling on friends and relatives at Bridges and Leesburg.

Otis Marcum was calling on Frank Jones and family Sunday.

Clarence Jones and Charles Kruger butchered three fine porkers one day last week.

Mrs. Carrie Ladd, of the Point, was visiting her mother, Mrs. Isaac Dodds, the past week.

Miss Lois Morrow was visiting her cousin, Miss Will Emma Dodds, at the Point a few days last week.

Mrs. Fannie Barrett and daughter, Miss Lorain, were calling on her mother one day the past week.

Miss Lorain Barrett entertained her Sunday school class Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Frank Milner and family have moved into his mother's house, and Joseph Dodds have moved into the house they vacated.

Frank and Clarence Jones have done a great deal of spring plowing.

Mrs. Fred Barrett was visiting her parents at Leesburg the past week.

J. Arthur Barrett was out at his farm Saturday evening.

Mrs. Jos. Dodds and Mrs. Grant Dodds were calling on Mrs. Benjamin Barrett one day the past week.

Marion Yorger has moved into the house recently vacated by Joseph Dodds.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morris were calling on Frank Jones and family Sunday evening.

Joseph Morrow took a nice bunch of hogs to Leesburg the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Padgett and wife, of Berrysville, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morris, of Bridges.

Fred Barrett has bought a new automobile.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morris are moving into J. Arthur Barrett's house this week.

J. Arthur Barrett has bought the lot by the old Fairfield church.

Miss Lorain Barrett was clerking in her father's store at Bridges.

Charles Morris was calling on Joseph Morrow Tuesday evening.

Carl Crispin was seen going through Bridges enroute to Leesburg. What's the attraction, Carl?

Clarence Erskin was calling on Charles Perry last week.

Mrs. Blanche Perry was visiting with Mrs. Viola Erskin one day the past week.

The Samantha Peddler, Mr. Alvin Bailey, failed to make his regular trip this week.

Carey and Benjamin Barrett butchered a fine beef oneday last week.

George Milner, of Columbus, is dead and will be laid to rest in the Bridges cemetery.

Mrs. Kruger has been sick with a cold, but is improving.

Mr. Leaverton and Miss Emma Hilliard, of Leesburg, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Abe Miller Sunday.

Mrs. Emory Rhodes of near Centerfield, has been suffering with tonsilitis.

Harry C. Ingles, of Front street, qualified for the Do-It-Now club Saturday, when he awarded a contract for the painting of his store room at Front and Sutton street.

Will Weigh All Packages

Employees of the postoffice beginning April 1, will weigh every parcel post package and also record amount of postage for fifteen days as Uncle Sam is evidently desirous of seeing just what this department is doing in way of revenue. Wesley Griver, superintendent of mails, stated Monday that the order included all parcel post zones.

London, March 15.—The British foreign office delivered to Ambassador Page its reply to the American note proposing to Great Britain and Germany the withdrawal of German submarine blockade, provided England would permit food to reach German civilians. Great Britain's reply is an absolute refusal.

At Findeis'

Cain Fawcett is doing temporary duty as chef at the Findeis restaurant on account of the illness of Hugh O'Brien.

In New Office

L. Taylor & Son, Monday moved their offices from Barden to a suite of rooms on the 7th floor of the First National Bank building. They will be in charge of Volney Taylor, who has been living here for the past few weeks.

WHEELERSBURG

Maurice Kiechbach is in Kentucky on a business trip.

Miss Kate Crichton has gone to Dayton to visit indefinitely with relatives.

Dr. Challis Dawson has gone to see his sick mother, who lives in Scotland, Ill.

Thomas Genheimer arrived here last week from Texas for a visit with his father, Frederic Genheimer of Dogwood Ridge.

G. W. Rase has been confined to the house for the past week with a very severe attack of la grip.

Mrs. Muriel Bussler and two children have returned from a two weeks' visit with home folks at South Webster.

Charles Burke has returned home from the South, where he has been located for some time.

Mrs. Eva Dudolt visited her sister, Mrs. Ruth Callihan, near Greenup, over Sunday.

Miss Louise Hane has resumed her place as principal of the W. H. S., after being called home to Columbus by the illness and death of her father. Miss Mae Phelor, high school teacher, was called to her home at Shepard, O., on account of the sudden death of her father. Much sympathy has been expressed for both of these young ladies, who are very much loved and respected by their pupils and patrons.

Wm. Littlejohn, of Columbus, and Miss Addie Littlejohn, of Ironton, were here last week to see Miss Mary Littlejohn, who is suffering from nervous prostration.

Mrs. W. S. Mayhew will leave in a few days to join her husband, W. S. Mayhew, who has located in Charlevoix, Michigan. Before taking her departure she will visit a few days with relatives in Portsmouth and in Lawrence county.

To Ease New Shoes.

New boots or shoes should be placed near a fire before being worn, as this helps to expand the leather and makes them softer. When a boot or shoe pinches, a sponge dipped in hot water and placed on the part of the boot which draws most will expand the leather and make it more comfortable.

The Movies

"The Wolf" At Lyric Tonight

The film production of Eugene Walter's dramatic success, "The Wolf" in six reel is one of the grandest offerings ever brought to a local picture house and is sure to please every lover of a big forceful, stirring story of human love and courage.

The name of Eugene Walter, who wrote "Paid In Full," "The Easiest Way," and many other noted success, is a guarantee of merit and the producing genius of Barry O'Neill gives to the great story every artistic touch it deserves on the screen. The cast includes many noted stars and features particularly Bernard Seigel as "Baptiste," and Ruth Bryant as "Annette." Manager Muck will show it at a ten cent admission and the shows will start promptly at 1:30, 3, 4:30, 6:30, 8, and 9:30. You had better come in the afternoon if you can and be sure of getting in.

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BUT YOU BETTER BUY THEM NOW

We have some solid gold articles worth $1.00 that you can buy for 25 cents. Others on which there is not quite so much reduction, but cheaper than you ever bought them before or will buy them again.

Here are just a few items:

$2.50 Rosaries for $1.50
75c Lingerie Plus pair ..39c
$1.00 Spectacles Pins 60c set
$1.00 Tie Pins 59c
$1.00 to $5.00 Fountain Pens .....50c to $3.50
$1.00 to $1.75 Crosses from .....70c to $3.00
$5.00 to $7.00 Party Boxes .....$2.75 to $4.00

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Frank D. White
624 SECOND STREET.

Marie Doro in "The Morals of Marcus" at Lyric Tomorrow

Marie Doro, the prominent star who has endowed the American stage with a distinctly new personality, is introduced to the motion picture public in an elaborate film version of her greatest stage success, "The Morals of Marcus," on the Paramount Program at the Lyric tomorrow.

"The Morals of Marcus," as a book, was an epitome of the present day opinion that all wisdom is folly, save only that which has germinated in trials and sufferings. The play, as produced by Charles Frohman, carried out this same theme of philosophy, but the motion pictures of the subject goes even farther and transforms a charming story into a vital, human, living enactment of simple truths, intensified by a fascinating romance. The film is a demonstration of the idiosyncrasies of the vagrant heart, and the futility of attempting an explanation of the cause or reason of love in any of its manifold forms. It introduces characters as interesting as they are original.

Marie Doro, as Carlotta, the refugee from a Turkish harem, has a role that calls for the greatest test of artistic ability and personal charm, for although at the inception of the story the character is a dainty, mischievous, insenuous slip of a girl, she develops rapidly as the story progresses into a woman with the profoundest depths of feeling and unconquerable love, and the interpretation requires versatility and intelligence to a marked degree. Miss Doro's immediate success in the role in the original stage presentation of the play stamped her at once as a woman of remarkable attainments and established her truly as an American star of the highest rank.

The production has been superbly mounted, and Miss Doro's first appearance on the screen is altogether an auspicious occasion.

Fun Tonight At Arcana Theater

If you have a case of the blues you want to come to the Arcana theater tonight, where Manager Potts will produce a couple of screaming farces entitled "Father Time," three reel comedy drama, and "Hubby's Cure," a Joker. This means more than a solid hour of fun, for the situations are so funny that it will be impossible for the champion grouch to keep his face straight. The fun comes fast and furious and the climaxes pile up so rapidly that both features are a continuous round of merriment. Remember these features will be offered the public for the modest sum of 5 cents, although they are in the first class comedy class and command the top price in the big cities. Come tonight—come prepared to laugh and laugh until your side aches.

At The Temple Theatre

The Temple theatre program for tonight is a two reel Broncho entitled "Shorty's Adventures in the City," in which Shorty has some fun with a prize fighter, played by Shorty Hamilton, Miss Brown, Roy Coleson, Miss Corrolli, Ed Kenny and Billy Cavanaugh. The third reel is a Reliance entitled "At The Bottom of Things." It's a crook drama, featuring Arthur Donaldson and Fay Tincher. The fourth reel is entitled "Nell's Strategy", a love story in which a poor young man wins out against a millionaire played by Rene Farrington, Ed. Lloyt, John Reinhard and Boyd Marshall. The Clutching Hand gets another victim Wednesday night at the Temple theatre, Pauline White is the leading lady.

At The Exhibit

The ninth installment of Runaway June will be shown at the Exhibit today. This big success as a serial picture has a number of ardent followers in this city in addition to many who just drop in to see an occasional number. Each number is a complete story in itself and the failure to see the preceding numbers does not mar it in the least. In addition to this Manager Law is offering a Royal comedy that is a scream. Then there is the special orchestra music.

Tomorrow will be shown Zudora in the Twenty Million Dollar mystery in addition to a split reel of Keystone comedy.

THEATRICAL

The Sun

A large crowd witnessed the first performance of "The Unwritten Law," which the Barrett Players produced at the Sun today. It is indeed a sensational comedy drama and a very interesting one. Mr. LaRenz appeared as Harry Thorpe, one of the principals, while Hanford Smythe and Eva Hotchkiss were played by Edmond Carroll and Miss Anna May. The plot is very interesting and closely follows the famous story and the comedy is particularly good. Of course it will draw big, who would miss it?

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"Investigate Salvage Prices. You Will Find Them All Right."

BIDS ARE OPENED FOR OUR FIRST INTERURBAN

Hourly Schedule Is Planned To Ironton

Bids for the construction of the proposed extension of the Ohio Valley Traction company's line from Sciotoville to Hanging Rock, a distance of 21 miles were opened Monday afternoon by officials of the company at their offices at Tenth and Offnere streets. It was stated that there were 12 bidders and that contract would not be awarded until bids could be thoroughly canvassed. The specifications under which bids were submitted call for completion of extension December 1, 1915.

"When line is ready for operation we plan to operate a car to Ironton and from that city to Portsmouth every hour," said Vice President Raymond York Monday.

"The traction cars will not come west any farther than the office and station on Offnere street. We plan to let contract for steel rails just as soon as contract is let for building the extension. We will have a single track from Sciotoville to Hanging Rock, but there will be ten long switches, which will enable us to maintain an hourly schedule of interurban cars between Portsmouth and Ironton" said Mr. York Monday.

"The Ohio Valley Traction company will also soon order four of the very latest interurban cars to be used as soon as extension is completed.

"Several of the bidders are among the most prominent contractors in the city.

"We have optioned practically all right of way property we need in Scioto, but still have much ground to secure in Lawrence county for right of way purposes" said Mr. York.

SOCIETY

In preparation for the revival meetings which will begin next Sunday evening, March 21st at Trinity Methodist Episcopal church, Gallia and Offnere streets a series of cottage prayer meetings will be held on Tuesday and Friday evenings of this week in twelve different homes throughout the city. The members and friends of Trinity church are cordially invited to attend the meeting nearest their own homes. The places and leaders follow:

Tuesday Evening March 16, 7:30

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Appel, 840 Eighth street; John T. Breece, leader.

Mrs. D. W. Gustin, 1739 Eighth street; Mrs. C. N. Smith, leader.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sparks, 1129 Twelfth street; H. W. Mathiott, leader.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Cranston, 1625 Highland street; T. H. Jones, leader.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Crawford, 1315 Ninth; J. H. Finney, leader.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Lane, 1225 Kinney's Lane; Prof. Charles Bridwell, leader.

Friday Evening March 19, 7:30

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Shumway, 840 Seventh; John Dennison, leader.

Mr. and Mrs. James M. Williams, 1747 Fifth street; Mrs. Kate Loft, leader.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Loft, 1719 Highland; J. H. Farmer, leader.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Dupre, 1322 Park avenue; S. R. Crawford, leader.

Mrs. Geo. Graham, 1805 Timmonds; Mrs. Chas. Rice, leader.

Trinity parsonage, 1411 Gallia; Rev. Cyrus Riffle, leader.

On Wednesday evening all will meet at the church in the regular mid-week prayer meeting at 7:15. Prof. J. H. Finney will lead the meeting. At this service reports will be received from the Tuesday evening meetings and we will see which neighborhood can report the best meeting. A large and enthusiastic meeting is expected. Come and bring your neighbor.

Rev. A. L. Marting officiated at the marriage Monday morning of Charles F. Hanson, 27, an employee of the Gilbert Grocery Company, formerly of Slocum Station, and Miss Ada May Schuler, 22, of near Lucasville. The ceremony was performed at Rev. Marting's home. The couple have gone to housekeeping at 1114 Eighteenth street.

The Day Nursery is in a handsome home opposite beautiful Tracy park. We have often heard it said, and seems a slogan, Peerless Portsmouth. Who can doubt it? But let's change the slogan to Peerless Women of Portsmouth. When the chairman of the Day Nursery was elected by the Federation of Woman's Clubs they made a wise choice in Mrs. Lou Hurth. She has been untiring in her efforts, coupled with that of the president, and a very few untiring women. They have done what they could. One of the earnest women has donated one of her beautiful rooms, with the use of bath and kitchen utensils. This is until we secure a home. We must not accept the hospitality of this home for too long a time, but be on the lookout for one in which our matron, Mrs. Jordan and daughter may live in. We opened up at six o'clock. At eight we were ready to receive donations and babies. Mrs. D. A. Alspaugh gave a nice crib bed and eight chairs. The Salvation Army a little crib bed, and with a few other things received before we are now about installed ready for a large number of babies, while the tired and anxious mothers are earning their daily bread. New mothers, let's have your prayers, your co-operation in every way to help these mothers. You can donate oh, just the things your babies love—playthings, toys. Think of baby's first toy, how pleased he was. Then there is talcum. These are the little things. Then you may send clothes. After the bath we expect to change the little ones into a fresh clean one belonging to the Day Nursery. On returning to its home they will be changed into their own. Who among the Peerless women of Portsmouth that do not believe in better babies? Now here is the Day Nursery. Make it yours by helping all you can. It is undenominational, so come one thousand strong and let's branch out and have one Nursery North Southeast and West.

Mrs. George Wilkerson, of 1227 McConnell avenue, will entertain the Otterbein Guild of the United Brethren church Tuesday evening, at 7:30 o'clock. New officers will be elected. Every member is urged to be present.

Mrs. Lizzie Hyatt, of Highland avenue, entertained Friday evening with a turkey dinner in honor of Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Zirkle, of Norfolk, Va. Other guests were Misses Emma and Bessie Butcher and Pauline Armbrust.

Mrs. William McCurdy's class of Trinity Methodist church will meet at the home of Mrs. T. C. Beatty, 826 Ninth street, Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William Chisholm spent Sunday in Cincinnati, the guest of relatives.

The Day Nursery was opened today in the temporary home at the handsome home of Mrs. Louis Hurth, 903 Gay street. Any mother who wants to go to work by the day can take her little ones to the Nursery, where they will be well taken care of all day long, for the small sum of 5 cents, or the children will be kept without any charge if the mothers are not able to pay the 5 cents. There are many mothers who would be glad to go out to work if they had any place to leave their children, so it is hoped that many mothers will avail themselves of the fine opportunity. Mrs. W. M. Jordan will be the matron in charge and the very best care will be taken of the little ones left in her charge. D. A. Alspaugh donated a child's bed and matress, eight chairs and rockers. The Salvation Army gave a cradle, and any donations of toys or anything appropriate for the Nursery, will be thankfully received. You can phone Mrs. George Small, 920, or Mrs. Louis Hurth, 1156 A, if you have any donations, or send them to 908 Gay street. Any mother who wants to go shopping or has business in the afternoons can leave the babies at the Day Nursery.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Reeg, of Ninth street, entertained at dinner last evening Miss Katherine Halderman and guest, Miss Helen Poe, of Cincinnati, Mr. Norman Baker and Mr. Mooney, of Cincinnati.

The Priscillas will meet Thursday afternoon, March 25th, at the home of Mrs. Harley Moremmel, on Sixth street.

The Junior Choir of the Fourth Street Methodist church will meet at the home of Miss Maud Reigel, on Eleventh street Tuesday evening, for their regular weekly practice.

Miss Evelyn Reed is coming home March 27th from Highland Hall, Hollidaysburg, Pa., and on her way home will stop for a short visit with a school friend in Pittsburgh, Pa.

The Young Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Fourth Street Methodist church will meet Tuesday evening, instead of this evening, at the home of Miss Emma Fritz, on Highland avenue.

Mrs. Charles E. Hard's class party planned for this week has been postponed until after the revival meetings.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society of Manly church will meet Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. S. S. Gulley, 1114 Offnere street.

Miss Edna Marting leaves New York today and will stop several places on her way home, arriving here Thursday.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Bigelow Methodist church will hold an important meeting Tuesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, at the church.

The Thursday Afternoon Kensington Club will be entertained Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. W. Reigel, on Eleventh street.

Mrs. Robert Baker has returned from a week-end visit with relatives in Chillicothe, where Mr. Baker has been erecting a rink, which will be completed Wednesday, and he will return home Wednesday evening.

The Manly Epworth League will give an entertainment this evening in the church basement, where a special feature will be a debate: Resolved: That the Devotion to Style is a Greater Evil Than the Tobacco Habit." Mark Allison and Carl Bauer on the affirmative side and Russell Baldauer and Earl Riddlebarger on the negative.

The bake sale of the Bigelow Methodist Ladies' Aid Society held Saturday at Pritchard's amounted to $13.30, which will go to the organ fund. Mesdames W. B. Altman, E. C. McCoy and James Branson, Jr., were in charge. Next Saturday the sale will be in charge of Mesdames E. C. Jackson, Fowler and Bredmer.

The Woman's Auxiliary of All Saints church will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Fred Pride, on New Fifth street. The assisting hostesses will be Mesdames Wagner, Hopkins and David Thomas.

The High School play planned for Tuesday evening for the benefit of the Day Nursery has been postponed until a later date.

Mrs. Frank Appel's class of Trinity Methodist Sunday school will meet Thursday evening at the home of Miss Alberta Robinson, 715 Eighth street.

Miss Katherine Halderman's guest, Miss Helen Poe, left today for her home in Cincinnati.

The All Saints Frances Badger Guild will meet Thursday evening at the home of Miss Katherine Halderman.

The Whatsoever Guild of All Saints church will meet in the chapel this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

PETITIONS HERE

It was announced Monday that petitions calling for another vote on state-wide prohibition next fall had arrived in Portsmouth and were in the hands of John T. Breece. The latter was in Huntington and Kenova on business Monday.

Will Is Filed

The will of George Lyntz, late of Jefferson township, was filed in probate court Monday. The estate is left to John P. Lyntz and Ella Lyntz with the exception of a $100 bequest to John Gromholts.

Pennington Oil Trial

The trial of Oswell Pennington, indicted by the recent grand jury on a charge of burglary and larceny, is being heard Monday afternoon before Judge Thomas and jury. He is charged with the theft of forty-two chickens, valued at $59.80 from the coop of Frank Moatz, of this city, on the night of December 13 last. Funk and Jacobs are defending him, while Prosecutor Micklethwait represents the state.

Paid Bills

The regular semi-monthly session of the county commissioners was held Monday at the court house. Payment of bills was the only business transacted.

To Have Fine Store

Ollie Goodman hopes to be ready for business in his new location on Gallia street in the next few days. The room has been renovated and placed in good shape for his occupancy. Elmer Fetter will take a clerkship in Mr. Goodman's new store. He was formerly employed in the Salvage store.

Couple Must Appear

A Mrs. Combs of Sciotoville called at the probate office Monday afternoon to obtain a marriage license for her son, E. Thomas Combs, and Minnie Crawford, both of Sciotoville. She was told that the couple would have to come after the license before it could be issued.

A Simple Way To Remove Dandruff

There is one sure way that has never failed to remove dandruff at once, and that is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely. To do this, just get about four ounces of plain, common liquid arvon from any drug store (this is all you will need), apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

By morning most, if not all, of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve, and entirely destroy, every single sign and trace of it, no matter how much dandruff you may have.

You will find all itching and digging of the scalp will stop instantly and your hair will be fluffy, lustrous, glossy, silky and soft, and look and feel a hundred times better.

H. S. Grimes Will Filed For Probate

The will of Harry S. Grimes was admitted to probate by Judge Beatty Monday morning and Mrs. Mary C. Grimes, the widow qualified as executrix. Vallee Harold, J. F. Strayer and John R. Hughes were appointed appraisers of the estate, and the appraisement will be made on the twenty-third (23rd) of this month.

Mr. Grimes left a legacy to All Saints church, which is void under the statute as the will was executed on December 7, 1914, and less than one (1) year prior to his death. He left legacies to a number of his relatives and residue of his estate is to be divided among Mrs. Mary C. Grimes, one-third, Mrs. Pauline G. Taylor, his daughter, one-third, John A. Grimes, his son, two-ninths, and Mrs. John A. Grimes, one-ninth. The children of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Grimes were left the residence at Second and Sinton streets.

The value of his estate is estimated at eighty thousand dollars, ($80,000.00).

Attorney George M. Osborn has been retained by the executrix to look after the affairs of the estate. Mr. Orborn will look after all the property, during the administration, both real and personal.

Ohio State League An Assured Fact

"Just as he was climbing aboard N. & W. train that was to carry him to Chillicothe, Monday afternoon, William N. Gableman, president of the Portsmouth baseball team, stated that the Ohio State league for 1915 was an assured fact. "We have received all the assurance necessary," said President Gableman, "and it will occasion no surprise should the league consist of eight cities. Yes, sir, the Ohio State league is a cinch for 1915," said President Gableman as the train pulled out.

President Gableman was accompanied to Chillicothe by Scout Billy Doyle. The two will hold a conference with Josh Devore, the old leaguer tonight and tomorrow will go to Lexington, where the magnates will elect a new president. Messrs. Dick Smith and Mayor Hamm, who are back of the Ironton team, arrived in Portsmouth this afternoon on their way to Lexington, which place they will reach tomorrow. They stated that Ironton would be in the league with bells on.

Before leaving Portsmouth President Gableman stated that the cities to form the league would be selected from the following: Charleston, W. Va., Huntington, W. Va., Ironton, Portsmouth, Lexington, Ky., Frankfort, Ky., Maysville, Ky., Richmond, Ky., and Chillicothe.

Purdum Has Bill To Sell Canal Lands

Columbus, March 15—Representative Purdum, of Russ, was prepared to introduce a bill today giving the state superintendent of public works authority to sell canal lands without retaining the mineral rights. He declared a railroad wants to buy a strip of canal land between Chillicothe and Portsmouth.

The understanding among railroad men in this city is that the bill is intended to transfer the authority to sell canal lands from the Governor to the state superintendent of public works, the understanding here being that the governor was at present invested with that authority.

Control Board Is To Inspect Pike Paving

The board of control at a meeting Monday decided to inspect the Gallia pike paving to view the expansion points and will be accompanied by Contractor Gilbert Monroe. Solicitor McCall advised that a supplementary contract would be necessary for any changes made in the work.

The board urged City Engineer Wilhelm to facilitate work on the proposed extension of the Adams bakery sewer and to secure the necessary right of way from the N. & W. for the completion of the Portsmouth Paving Brick company's sewer, also to supply Solicitor McCall with the necessary data in time for him to prepare the bonding ordinance and thus start legislation for the streets to be paved this year.

It was reported at the meeting that the estimates for the proposed flood wall extension could hardly be finished in time for Wednesday night's session of council. Service Director William Gergens reported that Seymour & Sommer had offered Red Row, the old Drennan homestead and some vacant ground outside the flood wall line to the city for $7,000.

Jake Price was given permission to garden all of the new city waterworks grounds for this year.

The matter of selecting names for the streets and lines in the cemetery addition was left to the engineer.

Rents Office

C. H. Dollarhite of Huntington, W. Va., has rented Reitz Bros. old quarters in the First National bank building.

Woman Is Injured

Mrs. Brewster McCallister, of Minnie's Run, had a small bone in her right wrist broken, and the buggy she was in was badly damaged when the safts of the buggy came loose and caused the horse to run away Saturday afternoon near the Ray Dever farm on Minnie's Run pike. The horse in his flight dashed the buggy against a telephone pole, throwing Mrs. McCallister to the ground. Besides receiving an injury to her wrist, she was badly shaken up. She went to the home of Ray Dever, where Dr. Cheney attended her. Frank Kronk jumped out of his light express wagon and caught the horse.

To Go Trough Linwood.

The county commissioners on Monday granted the Ohio Valley Traction Company the right-of-way through Linwood, above Sciotoville, for its traction line. Consent of the property owners had previously been secured.

Fred Worthington In City

Fred Worthington who at present is busily engaged in taking leases on gas and oil lands in Gallia county, was a business visitor here Monday.

PROPRIETARY MEDICINES TOILET ARTICLES

NOTICE

April First my Branch Store, No. 918 Gallia Street in Bannon Block, soon to be vacated by "The Fashion" will be open for your convenience.

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PERFUMES RUBBER GOODS

PEERLESS HAS A GITNEY BUS

Portsmouth Monday fell in line with the cities that can boast of having a jitney car operated over their streets, when Albert Hubman, grocer at 1631 Grandview avenue, placed an automobile bus in operation between the N. & W. Y. M. C. A. in East Portsmouth, and the Washington Hotel.

If the car is well patronized Mr. Hubman stated Monday that he would place three new jitney busses in the local field. The car now being used carried 135 passengers from 5:25 this morning up to 2 o'clock Monday afternoon. It is being driven by Thurman Phelps, of 1305 Grandview avenue.

The car after leaving the Y. M. C. A. comes direct down Gallia street to the First National Bank, thence south to Second, thence west to Washington Hotel, north on Market street to Fifth, and thence east on Fifth and Gallia streets to the Y. M. C. A.

Fullerton Addition

Dr. M. W. Meadows, of Fullerton, announced Monday that he would soon lay out a new addition between Fullerton and Tygart, that will contain 100 building lots. He expects to build four new homes in the addition this spring.

BOY'S BRAIN AFFECTED

S. P. Howe, of Kenyon street, accompanied by Dr. C. S. Early took Russell Howe, eight years old to Cincinnati, Saturday, to have the lad examined by a specialist. The lad has run away from home several times. The specialist said the lad had softening of the brain and the best thing to do was to keep him at home and watch him closely. The only cure would be for him to outgrow the affliction. Mr. and Mrs. Howe stated Monday that if their boy wandered away again the person finding him would save them lots of trouble and worry if they would call 243 A.

Must Pay $5 Weekly

An entry, providing that Edward McKinley, of New Boston, is to pay his wife $5 a week alimony pending the hearing of the divorce suit instituted by the latter, was filed in common pleas court Monday. The case was to have been heard on the matter of temporary alimony before Judge Thomas Monday, but the parties came to a mutual understanding out of court.

The New Sun TONIGHT 8:15

THE BARRETT PLAYERS PRESENT

"THE UNWRITTEN LAW"

See The banquet in the studio. The meeting of the wife and mother. The shooting on the roof garden. The escape from Matteawan in a touring car.

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THREE MORE BRITISH STEAMERS SUNK BY TORPEDOES

London, March 15---The British steamers Florasean, Headlands and Hartdale, torpedoed by German submarines, all have been sunk, according to anannouncement made by British admiralty today. Early reports held out the hope that these vessels attacked within the last few days by German raiders, had not been destroyed and might be brought into port.

THE NOON EXTRA

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LINCOLN BEACHEY MEETS DEATH

STRUCTURAL DEFECT OF NEW MONOPLANE CAUSES FATAL FALL

San Francisco, Calif., March 15—Structural defects in his new monoplane, not inability to control the craft, are believed by local aviators to have been responsible for the death of Lincoln Beachey, who, while flying over the Panama Pacific exposition grounds yesterday, fell into San Francisco Bay and was drowned. The wings of the aeroplane had crumpled under the pressure of the "banking" after an almost perpendicular glide of two thousand feet.

Yesterday was the first time Beachey had made a public flight in the new monoplane, his previous flights here having been in a biplane over which he had perfect control. The aviator was extremely grave as he took his seat in the machine and, according to his mechanicians, he seemed to have a premonition of trouble, but was determined to please the crowd of 50,000 people.

Beachey's aged mother, Mrs. Amy Beachey, who lives in this city, collapsed when told of her son's death and is under the care of physicians.

Beachey made the statement several days ago that if he should find himself falling he would head his machine out to sea, so as not to fall on the exposition crowd. He kept his word; his fall into the bay being about fifty yards from shore.

The body was found by a sailor on the battleship Oregon, who made two descents in a diving suit.

Miss Ethel Shoemaker, Beachey's fiancee, was not told of his death until today. She believed him to have been only injured.

DETROIT WAR ORDERS TOTAL $40,000,000

Detroit, March 15—War orders in Detroit have totaled $40,000,000, according to estimates made by an expert manager. Most of these, of course, have been for motor cars, but other manufactured goods contributed many millions.

Large orders of shrapnel were filled in Detroit by at least three factories. Large numbers of copper shells also were made here, the greatest trade being in eight-inch shells. A knitting factory was kept busy for three months on orders of sweaters and hosiery. Saddlery orders amounting to $60,000 were filled.

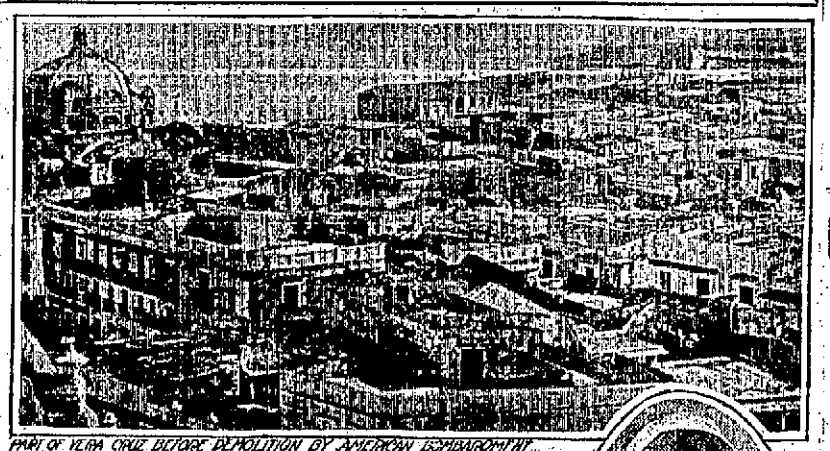
Eleven To Pay Death Penalty In Arkansas

Little Rock, Ark., March 15—Eleven prisoners held under sentence of death at the state penitentiary will be electrocuted, three of them this month, as the result of the failure of the legislature to pass a bill abolishing capital punishment, it was announced today.

Four of the condemned are white and seven are negroes. The first electrocution will be next Friday.

Governor Hayes had announced he would permit no capital punishment in the state until after the adjournment of the legislature and that he would commute sentences of those men condemned to die, if the bill abolishing the death penalty passed.

AGAIN WE FROWN ON VERA CRUZ



PART OF VERA CRUZ BEFORE DEMOLITION BY AMERICAN BOMBARDMENT.

The occupation of Mexico's principal seaport by American troops for months had no apparent effect upon the pacification of that country. The warships Washington and Georgia have both been rushed from Guantanamo, Cuba, to Vera Cruz, and arrived there on last Saturday. American and other foreign residents in the city of Mexico are said to be without protection and also without transportation facilities to gain the coast.

REAR ADMIRAL W.B. CAPERTON.

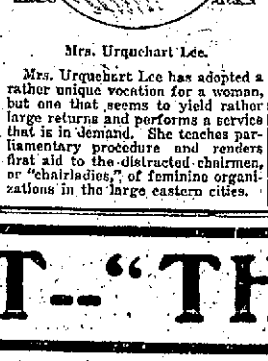
CARRANZA BLOCKADES MEXICAN PORT; U. S. REGISTERS PROTEST

Washington, March 15—Possibility of interference with American commerce at Progreso, Mexico, as the result of the closing by General Carranza of that port to ports of a condition of anarchy at Manzanillo, a port on the Pacific side of Mexico, was causing some anxiety here today in official circles. On the other hand, officials were encouraged over reports of an improvement of conditions in Mexico City.

Official concern over the situation at Progreso arises from the fact that American farmers who draw practically all of their sisal hemp used in binding wheat through that port would be cut off in case a blockade is maintained. General Carranza has taken steps to enforce his blockade order against which the American government has made vigorous representations to him, and the cruiser Des Moines is at Progreso with instructions to see that there is no interference with American trade.

Some fear is felt here concerning the safety of foreigners at Manzanillo because of the failure of General Carranza forces to maintain order there, and the diminishing food supply. American warships now in the vicinity of Manzanillo probably will bring foreigners there away should conditions not improve.

TEACHES WOMEN TO RUN CLUB MEETINGS



Mrs. Urquhart Lee.

Mrs. Urquhart Lee has adopted a rather unique vocation for a woman, but one that seems to yield rather large returns and performs a service that is in demand. She teaches parliamentary procedure and renders first aid to the distracted chairmen, or "chairladies," of feminine organizations in the large eastern cities.

WOMEN BAR WAR TONE

Cleveland, March 15—A fight against the military note in Spring fashions for women is planned by the Cleveland circle of the Woman's Peace Party. Members of the party decline to lend their approval of the European conflict by wearing near-military trappings.

"We shall ignore this fashion flurry by wearing our old clothes or by waiting until the manufacturers give us what we want," says Mrs. Milton R. Schatz.

INVENTOR DIES

Chicago, March 15—Henry H. Sessions, inventor of the vestibule anti-telescoping device used on most railroad passenger trains, the air brake for street cars and several other railroad devices died at his home here yesterday.

THE WEATHER

Ohio—Unsettled tonight, probably rain or snow. Tuesday probably colder.

Kentucky—Partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday.

West Virginia—Unsettled and warmer tonight, probably rain or snow. Tuesday partly cloudy.

TELEPHONE HEAD POINTS OUT CONDITIONS NEEDED FOR PROSPERITY RETURN

New York, March 15.—There are two million persons unemployed in the United States whose yearly earnings should at least be $1,250,000,000, says Theodore N. Vail, president of the American Telephone and Telegraph company in the annual report of the company issued today. The unemployed are now living at the expense of their savings, their friends and of the public, he says, and what is needed to bring about their re-employment and the return of prosperity is a restoration of conditions which would inspire confidence in the securities in the public service and manufacturing enterprises to enable them to obtain capital for extension and improvement.

A billion dollars a year is needed, he asserts, to put these enterprises in a position to meet the demands of the country both as "growing" and "going" concerns and if they could begin the expenditure of even a part of that sum, "it would soon restore the normal conditions of employment, expenditure, consumption, production."

Working Line Will Succeed Bread Line

"The circles of industrial condition would again be balanced," he says, "shops and factories would be filled and instead of the bread line there would be a working line night and morning between places of employment and homes."

Mr. Vail pleads for regulation that "will be thorough and effective and at the same time equitable, just and practicable." Remarking that in the past the position of public service companies had been made difficult by the activities of "irresponsible demagogues," he expressed the belief that the public would "see that justice is done."

Demands of Labor Cause Increased Rates

"Control and regulation can become destruction instead of constructive," he continues, "they can delay and paralyze commerce. Demands of labor for increased wages and shorter hours and demands of the public for increased service, must be met by increased revenue produced by increased rates."

Mr. Vail cites the falling off in the telephone business—"the last to feel depression and the first to recover"—as indicative of the business reaction; the European war. "The increase of the number of subscribers' stations last year was only 76 per cent of the number added in 1913 and the smallest in any of the four previous years, according to the report.

Has Old Job

George Doley has resigned his position with the Central Grocery to return to his former position as a driver for Adam Pfau, Eleventh street baker.

Grading and Sodding

Luther Griffin has branched out into the grading and sodding business and has purchased a latest improved sod cutting machine.

GOVERNMENT TO HAVE AEROPLANE FACTORIES IF CONGRESS APPROVES

Washington, March 15—Congressional approval is all that is needed for the establishment of government aeroplanes manufacturing plants at Philadelphia and New York. Plans for such factories have been prepared by the navy department, each to cost about $30,000 and each capable of turning out two or three machines a month at a cost of about $6,000 each.

Though the war department some years ago purchased a small dirigible balloon, army aviation officials have never felt warranted in developing that type of air-craft and have concentrated all their efforts on the aeroplane. The navy, however, is about to embark on a set of experiments to determine the availability of the dirigible for use on ship board. The ability of this kind of air-craft to hover for long periods over one spot, such as the entrance to a harbor, or near a parent battleship, is believed to be a valuable feature.

Specifications have been prepared for such a machine upon which proposals will be invited. By comparison with the giant Zeppelins of Germany, this will be a miniature air-craft.

PANIC FOLLOWS FIRE IN NEW YORK SUBWAY

New York, March 15—Fire early today in the new subway under construction on Seventh avenue between 42nd and 45th streets filled the streets with smoke, tied up traffic on a portion of the old Broadway subway and some of the adjacent surface lines and drove hundreds of guests from the hotels clustering about Times Square. The fire was discovered at 3:10 a. m. and two hours elapsed before it was brought under control and service was resumed on the various transportation lines.

The fire was attributed to a short circuit said to have been caused by a workman who drove his drill into a large power cable at the corner of 43rd street and Seventh avenue. A network of power, lighting and telephone wires underline the streets in this part of the city and burning insulaton on these cables sent up a cloud of dense smoke. At the same time the wooden planking used in the construction of the new subway burned briskly. The firemen tore up the timbers over the subway, cut and attacked the smoldering wires with sand.

The police reserves were called out to quiet panic stricken guests who rushed from the hotels.

BRAZIL SEEKS LOAN.

Rio Janeiro, March 15—The Brazilian government newspaper reports declare is arranging to float in New York a loan of $15,000,000 offering as guarantee custom house returns on American importations.

GIRL, RELATIVE OF BRYAN, HEROINE IN SOUTH SEA WRECK

Miss Edna Bryan.

Miss Edna Bryan, daughter of a cousin of Secretary of State Bryan, arrived in San Francisco from Australia last week. She brought for the first time details of a thrilling motor boat wreck off the bleak New Zealand coast in which she was one of the heroines.

Miss Marguerite Kibbey who has been ill at her home on Third street for several months, is able to be out.

KRON PRINZ HAS SUNK 13 VESSELS

Rio Janeiro, March 15—The German auxiliary cruiser, Kron Prinz Wilhelm, which had aboard 300 German sailors, has sunk 13 vessels since she began her raid on commerce, according to the passengers and crew of the French steamer Guadeloupe, who were taken to Pernambuco by the British steamer Churchill. The Guadeloupe was sent to the bottom by the Kron Prinz Wilhelm near the Island of Fernando de Noronha, off the eastern extremity of Brazil.

LYRIC TO-NIGHT--"THE WOLF" Five Reels 10c

LATEST IN SPORTDOM

K. C. Feds Decision Today

Chicago, March 15—Whether Kansas City will retain its franchise in the Federal league probably will be decided here today before Judge Baldwin in the circuit court.

Final arguments in the injunction proceedings by which the Kansas City club seeks to restrain the league from transferring its franchise to Newark, N. J., were to be presented by opposing counsel. Judge Baldwin, it was expected, would give a decision immediately after the closing of the argument.

CONNIE MACK IS CONFIDENT

Connie Mack's Athletics will be doing business at the old stand and expect to be at or near the top when the season ends next October. He thinks that hole left at second base, caused by the departure of Eddie Collins, will be plugged up, and the $100,000 infield minus its two greatest performers will almost equal the one of former years. Mack is not so sure that "Home Run" Baker will not guard third base. He believed, also, that he has found several recruit pitchers to take the places of Bender, Plank and Coombs.

SPORTLETS

Emmett Cain left Monday for Charleston, S. C.

Johnny Bassan continues to line out two and three hits in every game San Antonio plays.

A twenty-four-hour roller skating race will be pulled off in Madison Square Garden March 17 and 18.

Haskell Indians, of Lawrence, Kan., will play University of Chicago football team at Chicago on November 6 next.

Harvard University's lawn tennis courts netted $2,376 during the 1913-14 season.

Toledo will probably be awarded the 1916 American Bowling Congress tournament.

KNIFE HAS BEEN CLOSE FRIEND OF THE MINOR LEAGUE MAGNATE, SALARIES CUT

One writer has doped it out that salaries in the minor leagues this season will be cut to the quick and according to his idea will look something like this:

American Association, $250 to $275.
International league $250 to $275.
Pacific Coast league, $250 to $275.
Southern league, $225.
Western league, $225.
Class B leagues, $150 to $175.
Class C leagues, $125.
Class D league, $100.

Before the Federal leaguers arrived many stars from the majors who were slipping found employment in the three big minor leagues—the International, American Association and Pacific Coast. And many of them drew down as high as $50 per month. A $400-per-month salary was common in these three circuits.

But in 1914 these three leagues discovered they could not pay the high salaries and ring up with a profitable balance at the end of the season.

The knife has been the closest friend to the minor league magnate since last October.

WAHOO SAM IS SOME SLUGGER

Detroit, Mich., March 22—Another couple of seasons will find Detroit in possession of a slugger who will have charge of 3,000 major league base hits—if doesn't take any great amount of baseball knowledge to figure the athlete, there's only one Tiger to whom the honor could go, and that is "Sam" Crawford.

The big outfielding star has been with Detroit for 12 years; in the seasons of 1905 to 1914, inclusive, Crawford made 2,031 hits, an average of slightly better than 184 to a season. Crawford broke into major league baseball in 1899 as a member of the Cincinnati National League team. In about 80 games he made 32 hits.

JUST KEEP BOOSTING

Portsmouth fans were pleased to learn that Ironton's territory in a baseball way has been declared opened to organized baseball. This removes the last obstacle to place an Ohio State league team in that city this spring. There is no question but what if the Ironton fans cut out their umpire balling and boost the management and its team baseball will thrive in Ironton like it should. The interest is there and the fans are well posted. What they should do is boost their team every day in the week. To keep a minor league team on its feet is to attend the games and second to boost, boost, boost.

Clash In Milwaukee

There will be a good fight staged in Fountown tomorrow night when Gunboat Smith and Jack Dillon collide in a ring in Milwaukee. Dillon is tackling pretty big game as the Gunner has a wallop in either hand and is likely to cut loose at any time. Dillon has been anxious for something to go after the so-called "white hopes."

Conwell Is Sure Of Job

According to a special sent from Waco to the Sporting News "Irish" Conwell's playing has made a big hit with the fans of that city and Conwell has practically cinched his job.

MATHEWSON IN SPLENDID SHAPE

While in a fanning bee the other day Christy Mathewson stated that he reported in better shape than he has been for two years. He claims to have had a touch of rheumatism last year and he was off his stride in 1918. Sounds funny, doesn't it, to hear of Matty being off color physically speaking?

Stage Bout In Cincinnati

Slugging George Chip and Sailor Sczarmuski will be the principals in a ten round go in Cincinnati tonight. The sailor is a big favorite in the Queen City.

BENNY'S TEAM

(Cincinnati Enquirer)

Jack Benny, manager of Wiehe's All-Professionals, has announced that Jack Reis, of the St. Louis Feds, Joe Dashner and Jack Pfeister, formerly of the Chicago Cubs will take care of the hurling of the All-Profs.

(HUGH FRANCIS CLAVIN.)

An enterprising sporting writer has figured out that Hugh Francis Clavin (Young Ertle) has been more active with his mitts than any other American pugilist. Ertle has been fighting for fifteen years. He has mixed it up with seven champions of his class and has fought 500 times with would-be champs. The net result is earnings of $100,000, or an average of $200 a fight, which is better than the earnings of many magazine poets.

Bowlers Busy At Peoria

Peoria, Ills., March 15—Bowlers from Pittsburgh, Detroit and Cleveland took the alleys at the American Bowling Congress tournament today.

The Maxines of Detroit led the five men teams with 2,807. In the doubles S. F. Meters and W. Peters of Chicago led with 1,170.

In the singles L. Lellinger, of Chicago, tops the list with a score of 671. The mark set by Lellinger yesterday is within four points of the 1914 mark set by W. Miller, of Detroit.

Signs Many O. S. Players

Ray Ryan, who will manage the Rocky Mount team in the Virginia league will have nine former Ohio State league players on his team. He formerly played with Chillicothe and has signed the following O. S. players: Gnostree, Teague, Eisel, Applegate, Bittle, Daubert and Kelley.

Fight Game On The Blink

Now we hear that the fight game is on the blink in New York. The top-notchers have only been drawing 2,000 and 3,000 fans whereas in the old days a pair of real arenic battlers would attract three times as many bugs. And the decrease in the attendance is in no small way due to the bulldozing methods of the promoters and money mad tendencies of the pugs.

BILLIARD TOURNAMENT

Chicago, March 15.—Players in the world's champion three cushion billiard tournament entered on their second week of completion today having played 26 of the 66 games scheduled.

George Sutton of Chicago, was obliged to withdraw from the tournament because of illness. Lloyd Jones, of Salt Lake City, took Sutton's place. William Huey, of Chicago, is leading the tournament with three straight victories.

IN FINE CONDITION

Mike Gonzalez has reported to Manager Herzog at Alexandria. He caught 50 games for the Havanna team during the winter and reports in fine condition he says.

BOUT IS OFF

Freddie Welsh wants so much money to fight Charley White 20 rounds at Denver that the promoters out there have given up all hope of putting on the bout.

NEW GYMNASIUM

The University of Indiana is to receive a new $150,000 gymnasium. Ground for it is to be broken shortly.

Special attention to repairs. Walters Plumbing Co. adv

Sons Of Veterans Will Hold District Meeting Here In April

Vienna Camp, Sons of Veterans has planned for a big district meeting and camp fire in which all the camps of the fourth district of Ohio Division, comprising the counties of Scioto, Pike and Lawrence will participate, and the G. A. R. and W. R. C. will be honored guests of Vienna and their splendid ladies' auxiliary.

Many notables in the order of Sons of Veterans will be here. Senior Vice Commander-in-chief Hon. Wm. F. Chambers, and National Councellor Hon. Wm. M. Coffin, of Cincinnati, have promised to attend. Division Commander T. L. Aughinbaugh, of New Philadelphia, Senior Vice Commander T. L. Long of Dayton, Division Secretary J. Edgar Shiery of Springfield, and other members of the staff will be here, while many other notables have been invited and almost all are expected to attend.

For the auxiliary Mrs. Katherine J. Reese, division president, and several members of her staff from Mt. Vernon, have promised to attend, and there will be delegations from the auxiliaries of every camp in the district.

The date selected is the third Friday evening in April. This night was chosen to accommodate the country people, as they can come to the meeting for that evening, do their shopping on Saturday and return home. Others particularly the lawyer contingent also asked for that evening.

The entertainment committee named to have charge of the affair is Harry M. Sickles, Dr. O. D. Donaldson and Charles C. Bennett and they are on the job, "getting in touch with all the "live wires" in the district, and working to make it the biggest event held by the Sons of Veterans in this district in a generation every live member of Vienna is back of the committee, ready and willing to "boost," and several sub-committees will be named later to assist with details. The president of the auxiliary, Mrs. Libbie Eichorn, will also appoint a committee of the ladies at their meeting next Friday evening to act with the camp committee.

The national and division officers will be entertained at the homes of prominent members of the camp during their stay in the city. Judge T. C. Beatty, Prof. S. D. Eckhart, J. J. Van Gorder and others have already asked for assignment to their homes. Mrs. Reese and members of her staff will be entertained by the ladies of the auxiliary.

The auxiliary is also enthused over the proposed big meeting and can be depended upon to do their part. They are hard at work. At their meeting Friday evening in Selby (G. A. R.) hall a class of fifteen or twenty new members will be taken into the auxiliary. Among the ladies coming in at this meeting are Mrs. Harry W. Marriott, Mrs. Clarence Johnson, Mrs. Don H. Jewell, Mrs. J. H. Fulton and Mrs. W. B. Kobe.

WARWICK MAY LAND PLUM

Washington, March 15—Walter W. Warwick, of Cincinnati, may be appointed Comptroller of the treasury.

George E. Downey, of Aurora, Ind., the present comptroller, is likely to be appointed a Justice of the United States Court of Claims to succeed Justice Charles Bowen Howry, who retired today.

Warwick is Deputy Compatroller and in line of promotion. He was prominently mentioned for Comptroller when Downey was appointed.

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FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH NOTES

Section one of the Woman's Union will meet at the church Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock.

Class No. 3 will meet with Mrs. Parker, 1017 Front street, Thursday evening at 7 o'clock.

Section No. 5 will meet with Mrs. Ayers, 1806 Hutchins street, Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Topic: "Character Studies of Jesus—His Indignation." Leader, G. W. Edwards.

Section No. 2 will meet at the home of Mrs. George Edwards, 1240 Third street, Thursday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

Financial rally day has been changed from Easter Sunday to Sunday, March 28.

While it is hoped that all will pay cash on that day, nevertheless pledges to be paid on Easter Sunday will be taken. About $400 will be needed to pay debts for current expenses. It is hoped to make this day one of the happiest in the history of the congregation and no doubt the debt will be entirely wiped out.

Regular monthly meeting of the Men's Union will be held at the church Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. P. J. Reinhard, special secretary of the Y. M. C. A. will give a talk. All members are urged to be present.

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George Morgan Here

George Morgan, formerly of this city, traveling for the Sandusky Brewing company, Cleveland, is here on a visit. He has completed a five weeks' trip through New York and Pennsylvania and reports business conditions favorable.

The members of John Ault's class will meet at the home of the teacher 1223 Summit street Thursday evening, March 18. All members urged to be present.

Section three of the Woman's Union will meet at the home of Mrs. F. W. Sheridan, 809 John street Thursday afternoon at two o'clock. Regular monthly social meeting. Mrs. Will Evans will be assistant hostess. Arrangements have been made for the entertainment of fifty or more members.

Section Four will meet Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Millie Black.

The Loyal Men's class will meet at the church Friday evening at 7:15 o'clock. Let every member try and be present for much work will be done and the co-operation of all is needed.

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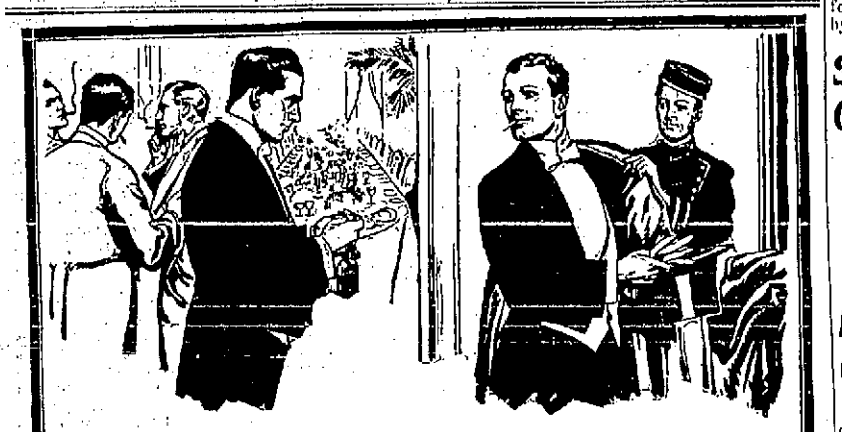

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Why not spend all the money you can in Portsmouth? Help make the general prosperity better, help make property better, help yourself and everybody else.

WHAT A STORY IT WILL BE.

Some day we hope the dramatic side of the war on the sea incident to the great struggle now going on in Europe will be written by a master pen. If so, what a thrilling story it will make, a story of daring raiders; gliding about on the high seas, picking up stray prizes here and there; coaling and provisioning from the captured ships before they were sent to the bottom, then on and on, constant lookout being kept for enemy's warships on their destruction bent, afraid to come in sight of land for fear information might get about as to their whereabouts.

And then, the final dash for some neutral port when conditions make the craft unseaworthy. What a strain it must have been, for instance, on the crew of the Prinz Eitel Friedrich, as they dodged in and out among the hostile British cruisers off the American coast, their wireless operator picking messages out of the air as they flew back and forth between hostile vessels on patrol duty. And what a sigh of relief must have gone up when the ship at last dropped anchor safely within the three mile limit at Newport News, Virginia. What a story it would make, if some officer gifted with imagination and the power to record the facts and impressions but kept the daily story of the wanderings of the Emden and the Prinz Friedrich. And equally fascinating will be the story of the cruisers on patrol duty, the story of their ceaseless vigil, and untiring efforts to run down the German commerce destroyers.

Let us hope that the tale will come.

THE TEACHER'S INSTITUTE.

With the personal jealousies or petty animosities of the teachers of Scioto county The Times has nothing to do, except in so far as such may serve to injure the cause of education. Then all citizens should take lively interest in such matters. And that is the way we feel about the matter of the Teachers' Institute. It is admittedly a valuable part of the educational program of the state, where it is conducted on right lines. When under the inspiration of County Superintendent McCowen the Institute in this county was abolished, we felt that it was time to call attention to what was being done under the new school law. We have done so frankly and without abuse, and we have also invited teachers to use our columns freely to explain why the Institute should, or should not be abolished. Some favorable to the continuance of the Institute have availed themselves of the offer. No one opposed has come forward, but some one signing the name of "A Rural Teacher" did write a card to the Morning Star. We do not know who wrote the card, but do know, from past experience, that it is about what we would expect to come from, or be inspired by a person who is known as a learned educator. His productions or inspirations have their own peculiar earmarks that make them stand out, and be identified anywhere. We have no interest as we said, except what is best for the schools. We are not entering into a billingsgate controversy with any one. If it is best for the county teachers to not have an Institute, let it be shown. If a mistake has been made, let it be corrected.

One point in the article is particularly discreditable to the person, both as to good sense, knowledge or intelligence, who signs himself "A Rural Teacher." That is where he says that in the past The Times and its staff controlled the schools of the county. The utter falsehood and profound absurdity of this statement is known to every one in anyways connected with school interests in this county, past or present. We do not know of any one connected with the management of this paper who ever in any manner had anything to do, or attempted to have anything to do with the school affairs of the county or city. If "A Rural Teacher" or any one else knows of any such instance, we will give him the paper and go into some other work. The schools have been controlled, if at all, by the county examiners and these were always Republicans named by the probate judge, also a Republican.

Of course such a silly statement was only made to create prejudice for a bad cause.

We understand that the Institute cannot now be held this year and we had decided to drop the subject for the present. However we are perfectly willing to renew the subject and present for the consideration of the citizens, who after all are the ones most deeply concerned, the facts as we are able to get them.

FALSE PRETENSE.

The Columbus Dispatch, a most conservative and independent Republican paper has this to say on a charge made and reiterated from nearly every platform by candidate Frank Willis in the campaign of 1914:

"The Willis administration, which came in two months ago declaring that Ohio was bankrupt, today stands convicted of deliberate deception of the voters and of obtaining power on false pretense.

"The statement just made by Auditor Donahey to the legislature, sets forth that February 15, there was a cash balance of $11,002,173, against which there were outstanding obligations of $4,161,242, showing an actual surplus of $6,840,931. And this was over and above the sum of $2,402,197 in the workmen's compensation fund, held in trust for the payment of death and accident claims.

"Moreover, the estimated revenue will provide more money for use this year than was spent in 1914, without at all touching the nearly $7,000,000 surplus, and there will be available for appropriation in the next two years more than $48,000,000.

"The condition of the treasury thus revealed gives the lie to one of the bogus representations of the Republican organization in the last campaign and makes farcical the reduction of salaries of men who earn them in actual service of the state. There is need always properly to conserve the public funds but the cheese-paring process of the last few weeks has been without other reason than the fiction of the campaign by which the Republicans were helped to win their victory at the polls."

Possibly, some people may have believed the Cox administration had brought the state to bankruptcy, but there was no reason for the faith within in them except for an unreasoning and foolish desire to be so conflicted. The facts and figures to the contrary were always obtainable, were in truth tendered openly and often, but eyes and ears were closed against them. It is not at all creditable to the state that largely through gross false pretense and which he was most persistent in operating, her chief executive now holds his place.

ALL IN A SINGLE DAY

DOC KOKO'S COLUMN

The Edge of Winter

The skies are getting blue again,
the sun is on its climb,
We're almost standing now upon
the edge of winter time;
Another step or two and we shall
reach the promised spring
And stand bare-headed out of
doors in orchards blossoming.

And we shall see the martins
mate, and hear the bluejay
cry,
And watch him work his villainies upon his neighbors
nigh,
The robin from the lawn shall
tug, with wonderous
strength and skill,
The slow, defenseless angle worm
and there shall eat his fill.

A thousand things there'll be to
see, a thousand joys to
charm,
And some shall find them in a
yard and some upon a
farm;
The roses that we've known so
long shall start to bud
again
and every sleeping plant shall
wake to feel the gentle
rain.

The joy of it is never old, there's
no monotony
In seeing tulips come to bloom,
and green adorn a tree.
The soul that's turned to living
things feels every year the
thrill
Of gladness that the blossoms
bring, and to the end it
will.

—Detroit Free Press.

Tongue Twister

Strict, strong, Stephen Stringer snared slickly six sickly, silky snakes.

Enough, But—

"Why didn't you enjoy the party, Harry? Didn't you have enough to eat?"

Young Hopeful—"Oh, yes, but there's no fun in having just enough."—London Opinion.

Chance To Shine

"Hurrah! They have given me a speaking part."

"And what part do you play?"

"I play the part of a boot-black."

"Goo enough. At last, my friend, you have a chance to shine."—Pittsburg Post.

Easter Outlook

I'm thinking of the coming day
When I must sell a sonnet
Or jokes enough to help to pay
For darling's Easter bonnet.

—Youngstown Telegram.

For Laura and Harriet, bless
them
And Marjory and her mother,
The sonnet bill and the bonnet
bill,
Make one hand wash the other.

—Ashtabula Star.

And if the sonnet should come
back
Too late to send another,
What would I say to Marjory,
Laura, Harriet and their mother?

A More or Less Dry Remark

"I've invented a boat made entirely of cork."

"Who will man it?"

"Oh, I am the cork's crew."

Speaking of Ages

Stranger—Can you tell me where I will find your bureau of vital statistics

Farmer Brown—I kin give you the village dressmaker's address. She knows the age of every woman in town.

The Line Is Busy

Sunday one of the young ladies from the telephone office went out with a party of friends on a fishing cruise; while they were fishing a boat loaded with another party of fishers passed by and some one on board recognized this young lady, and hollered "Hello"; just then she got a bite and answered, "Line Busy."

Little Albert, aged five, had never seen roller skates or anyone skating on them. His favorite toys were his engines and trains of cars.

At the window one day he chanced to see small Nancy of seven, his special playmate, skating on the asphalt street with steel rollers.

Rushing to his mother in great excitement he exclaimed:

"Mudder, look! there goes Nancy on a train of cars!"

Not As Green As He Looked

A small boy, astride of a donkey, was taking some supplies to an army camp in Texas not long ago, and got there just as a detachment of soldiers, preceded by a band, was marching past.

The lad dismounted and held the bridle of the donkey tightly in his hand.

"Why are you hold ing onto your brother so hard?" asked a group of soldiers who were standing near and wanted to tease the country boy.

"I'm afraid he might enlist," said the lad, without batting an eyelash.

The Women Know

A woman can tell you who has the dirtiest front window curtains in the neighborhood and, if you can get her to waive her modesty, she can also tell you who lives in the house that sports the cleanest.—Zanesville Signal.

Timely Warning

Unless you want
To sneeze and cough
Don't be too quick
To take 'em off.

—Youngstown Telegram.

For if too soon
You start to strip
You'll surely land
A dose of "grip."

—Geneva Free Press-Times.

Unless you're fueling
Awful spry
Don't climb a tree
To swat a fly.

—Springfield (Mass.) Mirror.

Unless your health
Is very sound
Don't sit down
Upon the ground.

CLERK HAS SENATE BILL

Roy McElhaney, county clerk, is in receipt of a copy of Senate Bill No. 145, relating to the registration of land titles sent to him by Representative W. R. Sprague. Mr. Sprague says the supply of copies is limited and he can not comply with the requests for them. It will be accessible to any one who wants to see it at the clerk's office. The main feature of the bill is that it removes the compulsory section of the Torrens act.

Special attention to repairs. Waiters Plumbing Co. adv

Animal Jingles
FOR LITTLE FOLKS
By Alice Crew Gall

THE ADVENTURES OF MINNIE MONKEY

One Monday morning Minnie Monkey's mother said to her:
"It's half-past seven, I declare!
You'd better hurry round, my dear, or you'll be late for school;
Come, let me wash your face and comb your hair."

But Minnie Monkey teased and sulked and said: "Oh, mother dear,
Please won't you let me stay at home this once?"
Her mother said to her: "My child, you'll have to go to school;
Or you'll grow up to be a perfect dunce."

So Minnie started schoolward, though she didn't want to go.
Said she: "A day like this is much too fine
To stay inside a school room with a lot of stupid books;
I think I'll try a little monkey-shine."

By that Miss Minnie meant that she'd play hookey for the day;
And though it was a naughty thing to do,
She ran away from school as fast as ever she could go
Until she'd run perhaps a mile or two.

At last she stopped for want of breath and climbed up in a tree.
Said she: "I think that I'll rest here a bit."
Just then she spied a cottage not so very far away.
"I'll go," she said, "and have a look at it.

"I'm feeling rather hungry, too; I think I'll try to get
A sandwich at this cottage if I can."
She never would have ventured near the place if she had known
'Twas the cottage of an Organ-Grinder man.

But as she didn't know it she ran gaily up the path
And stopped to knock politely at the door;
Then suddenly Miss Minnie found herself surrounded by
More children than she'd ever seen before.

They quickly took her in the house and laughed and shrieked for joy
While Minnie very nearly died of fright.
The thrilling things that happened to Miss Minnie after that
I'll save to tell to you tomorrow night.

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717 Second Street

LADIES! SECRET TO DARKEN GRAY HAIR

Bring back color, gloss and thickness with Grandma's recipe of Sage and Sulphur.

Common garden sage brewed into a heavy tea, with sulphur and alcohol added, will turn gray, streaked and faded hair beautifully dark and luxuriant; remove every bit of dandruff, stop scalp itching and falling hair. Mixing the Sage Tea and Sulphur recipe at home, though, is troublesome. An easier way is to get the ready-to-use tonic, costing about 50 cents a large bottle, at drug stores, known as "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," thus avoiding a lot of muss.

While wispy, gray, faded hair is not sinful, we all desire to retain our youthful appearance and attractiveness. By darkening your hair with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur, no one can tell, because it does it so naturally, so evenly. You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning all gray hairs have disappeared. After another application or two your hair becomes beautifully dark, glossy, soft and luxuriant and you appear years younger.

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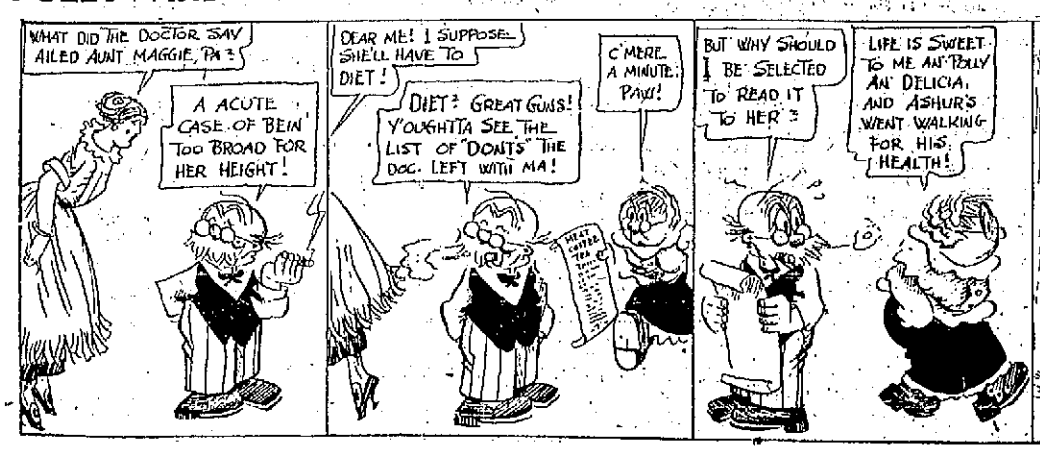
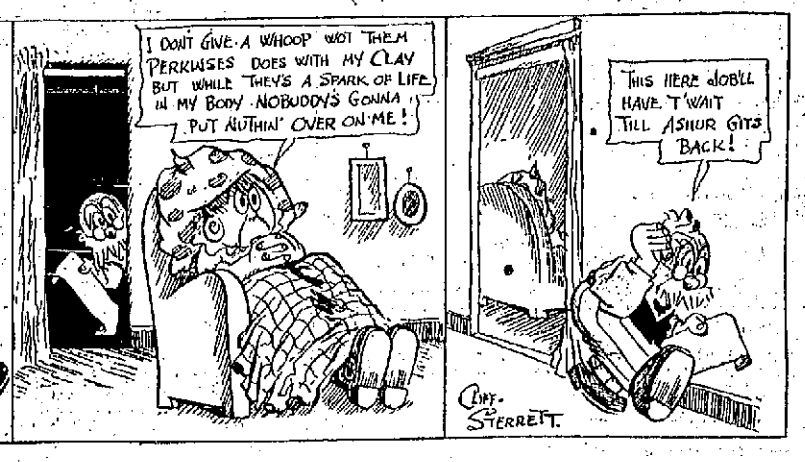
POLLY AND HER PALS



EVEN PA PASSES UP THIS JOB.



AUTO CONTAINING 7 PLUNGES INTO RIVER; A BOY IS DROWNED

The lives of seven persons, six being of one family were imperiled Sunday afternoon when an automobile driven by Harry Parker ran off the ferryboat Winona moored at Ashland, Ky., Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock and plunged into the Ohio river. All were rescued except Ray Parker, 12-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Parker, who was drowned.

Their four children, Alfred, Ray, Mabel and Dorris and Mrs. Parker's sister, Miss Gertrude Cole were in the machine. The party has been above Ashland and was returning to Ironton, where Mr. and Mrs. Parker reside in a fine new home on South Fourth street.

Fortunately the top of the seven passenger Jeffrey car was down and, through this piece of good luck, Edward Pemberton, engineer on Winona ferryboat was able to rescue members of the automobile party. He proved himself a real hero and at the risk of his own life saved six lives.

The body of Ray Parker was found about 150 feet below the scene of the accident at 9 o'clock Monday morning. One of the support rods to the windshield was broken and it is thought that it struck the boy and rendered him unconscious. Searching parties had been at work all night.

MR. AND MRS. MOORE IN AN AUTO ACCIDENT

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Moore, who reside on Baird avenue and Kinney's Lane, figured in a serious automobile accident, which occurred on the Chillicothe pike near Davis Station, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Moore's car went off the road into a ditch and was badly damaged. Mr. and Mrs. Moore were thrown out and were showered with broken glass caused by the wind shield being shattered, but escaped with minor injuries. Mrs. Moore was bruised about the head and shoulders and her face was cut by fragments of glass. The axle of the car was bent, the radius rod was twisted out of shape, the windshield was smashed, the lamps were broken and one of the rear wheels was torn off, according to Mr. Moore. The machine was brought to the city Monday morning.

Mr. Moore says he was driving his car toward the city and when County Treasurer Maurice J. Caldwell passed him on the road a front wheel of his car struck a rear wheel of his machine and the impact caused the Moore machine to be thrown into a ditch.

Mr. Caldwell stated Monday morning that his car did not hit the Moore machine because he kept ahead of it all the time, he asserts.

Mr. Moore is employed by the Whittaker-Glessner Steel company.

OBITUARY

Baby Dies

Lowell, infant son of Harold Martin, Times composing room employee, and wife, died a few hours after birth, at their home No. 1233 Twelfth street, Sunday afternoon. Burial took place in Greenlawn cemetery Monday afternoon.

Exchanged Felicitations

Congratulatory messages have been exchanged by city officials and principals in the municipal probe.

Spent Sunday Here.

J. E. Cross, state superintendent of printing, spent Sunday with his family in this city.

W. H. Smith Buried This Afternoon

The funeral services of the late William Henry Smith, who died Saturday, will be conducted Monday (this afternoon) from the family residence, 1111 Gallia street at 3:30 o'clock. The last rites will be in charge of the Rev. J. W. Dunning, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, assisted by Rev. T. H. McAfee, pastor of the First Baptist church.

Mr. Smith was a member of Aurora Lodge No. 48, F. & A. M., and members of the Masonic lodge will attend his funeral services, not in a body but as individuals.

Goods Disappear, Boys Are Held

John Allen, Marion Pancake, Shirley Pancake, George and John Kirsch and Milton Brooks were ordered into the mayor's court Monday morning and in turn sent to the juvenile court to explain the disappearance of a hat, black coat, baby swing, watch and other articles stored by D. A. Alspaugh in the old Capt. Gilliland homestead on Second street just east of Sinton street. It is claimed a panel of a door and a window pane were cut out in gaining entrance to the property.

The Movies

"The Wolf" At Lyric Today

The film production of Eugene Walter's dramatic success, "The Wolf" in six reel is one of the greatest offerings ever brought to a local picture house and is sure to please every lover of a big forceful, stirring story of human love and courage.

The name of Eugene Walter, who wrote "Paid In Full," "The Easiest Way," and many other noted success, is a guarantee of merit and the producing genius of Barry O'Neill gives to the great story every artistic touch it deserves on the screen. The cast includes many noted stars and features particularly Bernard Seigel as "Baptiste," and Ruth Bryant as "Annette." Manager Mack will show it at a ten cent admission and the shows will start promptly at 1:30, 3, 4:30, 6:30, 8, and 9:30. You had better come in the afternoon if you can and be sure of getting in.

REDUCTION IN PRICE OF OIL

Pittsburgh, Pa., March 15—Five cents a barrel was cut from the price of the principal grades of crude oil when the market opened today, the following schedule being announced by the South Pennsylvania Oil company: Pennsylvania crude $1.45; Mercer black $1.05; New Castle $1.02; Cabell $1.05; Corning 90 cents; Somerset 85 cents; Ragland 65 cents.

GENIUS MUST BE SERVED

Drawn by Eva Shepherd

There is a process by which a golden voice can be turned into golden coin! And golden coin needs no fairy wand to be changed for jewels that shine!

What matters it that he lacks every attribute of manly beauty? HE HAS SUNG IN GRAND OPERA.

And though he is not a figure to inspire the love of women, he SINGS of love divinely! And all women are in love with love!

GANG OF FOUR BREAKS INTO McDERMOTT STORE; BLOODHOUND IS ON TRAIL

Four unknown men forced an entrance into the Arthur Thompson general store at McDermott early Sunday morning and made their getaway with lost valued at $100. Over $60 worth of shoes alone were taken, in addition to clothing, underwear and one "Daisy" cheese, weighing fifteen pounds.

The robbery was discovered between 3:30 and 4 o'clock Sunday morning by Charles Jones, a young man of McDermott, who was returning home from a visit to another part of the county. He saw the four men come out of the store as he drove by. He immediately notified the owner, who made a hurried investigation.

Entrance to the store was gained by "jimmying" the front door, which was badly damaged. Mr. Thompson at once notified the county authorities.

Sheriff Smith and his deputy, Rome Arthur, left at once for the scene, taking with them the large blood hound belonging to Roy Lynn of this city. The hound took up the scent at the front door and traced the robbers as far as Rushtown, where the trail was lost. The sheriff and his deputy worked for some time on the case, but were unable to strike a tangible clue. It was the opinion of the officers and Mr. Thompson that the work was done by home talent.

Rev. Crayton Brooks Closes His Pastorate

Rev. Crayton S. Brooks, who closed his three and one-half years' pastorate at the First Christian church, Sunday night, left Monday morning for Alliance, where he will begin a three weeks' religious campaign tonight, assisted by Prof. Theopolis E. Fitz, who will have charge of the singing and music.

Rev. Brooks, whose pastorate here was eminently successful, delivered his farewell sermon Sunday morning. He took occasion to thank the membership for the loyalty displayed and stated that while the church had been up against quite a number of obstacles, such as floods and strikes, that the progress was eminently satisfactory. He cautioned his people to extend to his successor, Rev. Charles R. Oakley, of Mansfield, who will assume charge here on April 18, whole hearted support. He was especially solicitous for Rev. Oakley's success, giving that gentleman a most whole hearted commendation and expressed the belief that he was the very man most needed. At the close of his address Rev. Brooks stated that to make a minister's administration successful in the highest sense of the word it was absolutely necessary that he be accorded whole hearted support by his parishoners. "The two or three who pull against the majority are the ones who add to the trials of a minister and always brings discord, where peace and contentment should reign." Continuing Rev. Brooks said "No pastor, no matter how strong he may be, no matter how perfect he may be he can accomplish little without the unanimous support of his people."

At the evening service, Rev. Brooks was greeted by a magnificent audience, one of the largest of the year. He scarcely referred to his leaving, but at the close of his eloquent discourse, he held an informal reception, every person present shaking him heartily by the hand and expressing their deep regret over his leaving. Rev. Brooks enters upon his evangelistic work with the unanimous good wishes of the members. He is without a doubt one of the biggest ministers that ever worked in Portsmouth, a man who stood high with his brother ministers, a pulpit orator of much strength and withal a clean cut Christian gentleman—a citizen of worth and character.

From Alliance he will go to Cleveland and from there to Salem, Oregon. His friends here will be pleased to know that he will make Portsmouth his home, and this means that he will be seen in the local pulpit on numerous occasions.

Call the Inter State Taxi Cabs. Safe, reliable and here to stay. adv 11-10

DELEGATES NAMED

The Home Rule League held a well attended meeting in their quarters on Gallia street Sunday evening. Fifteen candidates were taken in and two delegates to the Home Rule League convention to be held in Columbus on April 25 were named. They are William Abrahams and George Klick. The Gusto Trio and Dixie orchestra have been secured to furnish music for the dance to be given in Wilhelmette on Easter Monday by this league.

Council To Hear Report

The city council Wednesday night will probably be asked to hold an adjourned session the following afternoon to receive the report of the recent probe, and to appropriate the money to pay for it.

Funeral Tuesday

The remains of Mrs. Henry Scott colored who died in Chicago will arrive here over the N. & W Tuesday noon, according to a telegram received from her sister, Mrs. Frank White by Undertaker Dachler, Monday. The remains will be taken directly from the train to Greenlawn cemetery where friends will be permitted to view them.

Complain Of "Rock Throwers"

Officer B. E. Allen was detailed to investigate a complaint about boys recklessly throwing rocks in the vicinity of Moore's grocery at Fourteenth and Waller streets, Monday morning.

BABY POKES DADDY'S EYE

Baker, Ore., March 15.—As the result of playing with his baby son, L. E. Pratt may lose the sight of his left eye. The child in playing poked his finger into the optic so strenuously that it broke a blood vessel.

POLICE NEWS

Martin Flack, who was accused of creating a disturbance at Hofer's boarding house, was dismissed in the mayor's court Monday. Hess Windel, Al Burris, Bill Kennedy and Charles Whitehead, a steelworker, were fined $5 each for intoxication.

Wants Copy Of Proceedings

A. C. Thomas, cashier of the Union Savings Bank and Trust Company, of Huntington, has written County Clerk McElhaney for a copy of the divorce proceedings and court's decree against Fred W. Worthington.

Back From Chicago

Henry A. Brodbeck, who had been in Chicago for fourteen weeks under the care of a specialist, is in the city visiting old friends. He will shortly return to the Windy City for additional treatment.

Small Blaze

Sparks set fire to the roof of Bertha Bettman's property at 519 Seventh street, at 3:49 Saturday afternoon and did about $20 damage.

Prayers Offered

Prayers were offered up at St. Mary's church Sunday for the recovery of Mrs. John Rust and Miss Anna Davis, both of whom are dangerously ill.

Sells Machines

Clinton Daniels of Sciotoville, sold a Studebaker automobile Friday to Edward Basham and a Ford car to Frank Coburn.

Rev. Plummer Here

Rev. C. B. Plummer, superintendent of the M. E. Conference of the Ashland, Ky., district, was in the city Saturday visiting friends.

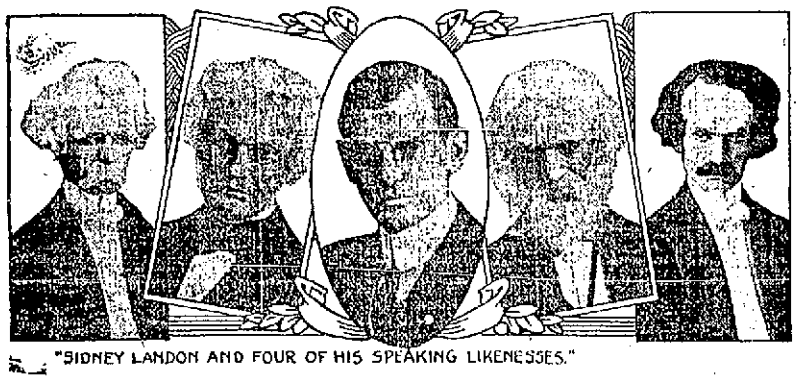
Rev. Elsea Preached

Rev. Samuel Elsea, of South Webster, occupied the pulpit at the Harrisonville M. E. church Sunday evening.

Special Meetings.

Announcement was made by Rev. C. Lloyd Strecker, Sunday, that special services would start at Trinity M. E. church next Sunday evening and continue nightly for a period of two weeks. The meetings will be in charge solely of Rev. Streckr.

LANDON MAKES CELEBRITIES LIVE IN MINDS OF AUDIENCE



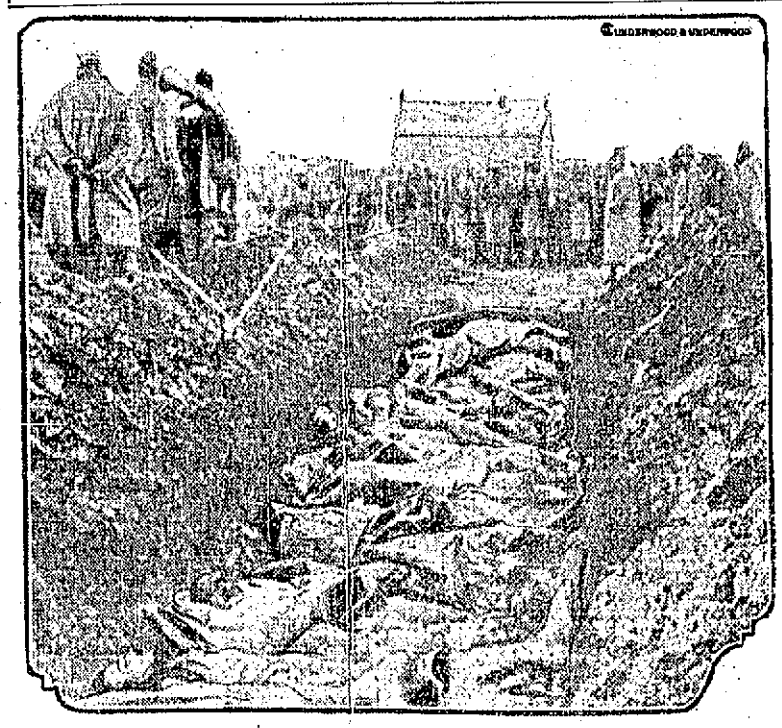
"SIDNEY LANDON AND FOUR OF HIS SPEAKING LIKENESSES."

If the local Lyceum Committee was able to announce that dear old Mark Twain was to lecture here this season, or that Bill Nye of cherished memory, would raise his querulous voice in our midst, every business place in town would close; farmers would lock up their houses and barns; industries would suspend, to do them honor. So with a host of departed men of genius, whose works are cherished by their fellow countrymen. In preparing his entertainment, "Speaking Likenesses of Great Men," Sidney Landon has performed a noteworthy service to the American platform. Through Mr. Landon's interpretative art, men like Twain, Nye, Longfellow, Holmes, Robert E. Lee, Edgar Allan Poe and countless others, live again. By the use of wigs and grease paint, he gives his audiences visualization and impersonation of these men which is startling in its approach to nature. He completely loses his own personality, submerging self in the great character he portrays, and so complete is the illusion that the audience feels that Landon has indeed vanished, and the man he impersonates is present.

So, while unable to announce the actual appearance of departed celebrities, the Lyceum Committee takes pleasure in announcing that they are soon to appear here through the medium of Mr. Landon's art.

Sidney Landon of Lyceum fame will give an entertainment in the high school auditorium on Monday (tonight) as the eighth number of the High School lecture course.

BURYING DEAD AUSTRIANS ON BATTLEFIELD BEFORE PRZEMYSL



No individual graves, no funeral ceremonies, no tombstone or even a cross mark the graves of the fallen soldiers on Europe's battlefields. This picture was taken before the fortress of Przemysl after a furious attack upon the Austrian trenches in the vicinity by the Russian legions. The Austrians won the day and repulsed the invaders, but with heavy losses to themselves. After the battle the Austrian dead were gathered in a heap, a long trench was dug and the bodies thrown in. The regimental band struck up a mournful tune and the burial was complete.